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"URGENT PACIFIC THREAT"

Shanghai, June 22. "An economically bankrupt and Communised Japan under the remote control of the Kremlin, is today the most urgent threat to the tranquillity of the entire Pacific area," according to Mr. Woo Ya-tung, Executive Editor of the American-owned Shanghai Evening Post, who returned last week from a brief visit to Japan.

In an article appearing in the front page of his paper today, Mr. Woo said: "There cannot be any revival of Japan's economic and military setups to the extent of approaching a real threat either to China or the United States within the next 20 to 50 years."

The fact, everywhere evident in Japan, he stated, is that General MacArthur meant business when he said that he will never permit Japan to rise again as a military threat.

The present armed might of Japan consists of 125,000 policemen armed with one old type Japanese pistol to each five men.

Mr. Woo continued: "For a more immediate than mental picture of the present armed might of Japan in some far distant future is the constant increase in the influence of Japan's Communist organisation. Lack of food, the low economic level of the masses and a general economic maladjustment all contribute to the rapid communication of Japan if the red spark is allowed to spread."

The Japanese Communist Party officially has about 50,000 to 60,000 members—but the most reliable information point to at least 1,000,000 strong."

Mr. Woo added: "The danger of a Communised Japan has by no means escaped SCAP's attention. The present economic policy of the SCAP is probably taken mainly with the view of averting a structural economic breakdown on which Communists thrive."—Reuter.

Way Now Paved For China --USA Bilateral Agreement

"Small Sum" But More To Come?

China's Legislature today voted approval of the China aid programme by 344 to 50 votes, thus paving the way for a speedy conclusion of a bilateral agreement between China and the United States.

Answering queries from legislators, the Foreign Minister, Mr. Wang Shih-chieh, said that he agreed that US\$400,000,000 was "a small sum" but stated that in negotiations with Washington, Senator Vandenberg had indicated that current appropriations represented "only the beginning of further aid to come".

He said that on that assumption, the Chinese Government felt no great disappointment over the amount of aid made available at present and indicated that whether China will be able to obtain further assistance depended mainly on how the current aid is administered.

Shanghai, June 22.

Security officers reported today that a movement is underway among student leaders to conduct a secret fund-raising campaign to finance further activities, particularly protests against the American policy in Japan.

The authorities said the campaign was launched in Chiatung University by "professional students" who, it is reported, are asking every student to contribute at least CN\$10,000 to the fund.

Reports said the first day's efforts were highly successful.

Police said they learned that college students extended the drive into middle schools under the pretext they are using the money to help poor students.

JAP TEXTILE EXPANSION

Tokyo, June 22. Japan's cotton spinning industry is unable to realise its plan of expanding to 3,500,000 spindles within this year owing to shortages of funds and steel, according to the commercial daily, "Nippon Tsushin."

General MacArthur's headquarters in February of last year authorised expansion to four million spindles. Operable spindles now total 3,100,000 compared to 14,30,000 before the war.—Reuter.

Gandhi Assassin Trial Begins

Delhi, June 22.

One of nine men accused in the assassination of Mohandas K. Gandhi turned state evidence today.

Judge Atma Charan said Digambar Ramchandra Badge, the owner of a small arms shop in Poona, agreed to give a full confession in court and has been removed from the list of defendants who went on trial this morning before a special court in Delhi's old Red Fort.

The judge, who is hearing the case without a jury, said Badge had agreed to become a prosecution witness and "tell the truth" and therefore would not be tried.

The jaunty air which the other eight defendants have worn since legal proceedings started several weeks ago was noticeably missing today as the judge read the official charges.

These charges say Narayan Vinayak Godse fired the shot which killed Gandhi on January 30, that Madan Lal earlier planted a bomb in an assassination attempt which failed and that the other six defendants aided and abetted them. They all pleaded innocent.

Chief Prosecutor C.K. Daftari declared that all of the defendants except two were in or near Gandhi's prayer grounds armed with pistols or grenades the day Madan Lal exploded the bomb.

He said Gandhi was slain because he preached non-violence and communal peace and stood in the path of the communal hatred preached by Godse, a Poona editor, and the others, all of whom are Hindus.—Associated Press.

FOUR-POWER MEETING IN REICH

Berlin, June 22. Top-level Allied financial chiefs met here today in the first major four-power meeting in the Reich since the Russians walked out of the Control Council on March 20.

The quickly arranged meeting is outwardly designed to settle Berlin's role in the East versus West currency reform battle.

There is also a chance that the Western Powers suggested the meeting to Soviet Marshal Vassili Sokolovsky with surprising success. Sokolovsky accepted late last night naming Berlin as the meeting place.

The meeting is expected to last several hours.—United Press.

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PICTURE OF THE DAY

Royal Wedding



A happy bride was Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parme, photographed above after the ceremony in Athens. Archbishop Damaskinos officiated, but the Roman Catholics took a dim view of the proceedings.

USA AID NEEDED FOR PEACE, GARRETT SAYS

Dr. Cyril F. Garrett, Archbishop of York, said today there is little hope for peace and recovery in Europe without the help of the United States.

TERRORIST BOMB EXPLODES

A home-made bomb, believed to be the reply of terrorists to their unheeded demand for \$4,000, exploded at the rear of a rice shop in Un Long, N.T., on Monday night.

Slight damage was effected on the wooden backdoor of No. 12 Tai Chung Street, premises of the Choi Chung Tong Rice Shop. No-body was injured.

The master had received two weeks ago a threatening note demanding \$4,000.

It was reported that another rice shop in Un Long had also received a demand for \$4,000 and that a goldsmith shop was asked for \$2,000.

Four Motives

He said, in this the American Government is adopting the same policy as in the case of the European Recovery Programme.

China's motives for seeking such aid, he said, was four-fold: Firstly, to balance the country's international credits.

Secondly, to finance urgent reconstruction projects, in railways, canals and power development.

Thirdly, to procure part of the military materials required for Communist suppression.

Fourthly, to secure a basis for currency reform.

He said that the forthcoming bilateral agreement, which is expected to be signed before July 3, will cover the first three points, leaving the currency question to be discussed at a future date.—Reuter-AAP.

CRISIS DEEPER THAN SOME MAY THINK

Philadelphia, June 22.

Mr. Herbert Hoover, former United States President, tonight warned the Republican Convention here that the world crisis was "Deeper than some may think".

He urged the Republicans to lead the battle for peace and freedom but not to "create a permanent dependence of Europe and Asia upon us."

Relief and defence would soon cost the United States over \$22,000,000,000 a year, Mr. Hoover said. "With full compassion for those nations in difficulties," he said, "it must be recognised that we can only provide bare necessities. There is no room for non-essentials or inefficiencies."

"We must not soften their preparedness to meet their own dangers."

Mr. Hoover said that "only as long as the United States is free and strong, will human liberty survive in a world devastated by two wars."

Stalin's Game

"It is in the interest of liberty throughout the world that we aid in giving strength to western

Europe. It is only thus that we can restore a balance of power in the world and are able to repulse the hordes from the Eurasian steppes, who would ruin the western civilisation."

"Our friends abroad should realise that our economy must not be overstrained by these burdens or we should be playing Stalin's game. His expressed hope is in our economic collapse, for which his fifth columns are busily planning."

"The men in the Kremlin hold in their right hands the threat of military aggression. With their left hands they work to weaken civilization from within."

"These tyrants have created a situation new to all human experience. A powerful nation, dominated by men without conscience, finds it useful to have neither peace nor war in the new world."

—Reuter.

Tokyo, June 22. Approximately \$17 million yen (\$100,000,000 worth of hoarded goods in possession of one of Japan's former largest airplane manufacturers, the Nakajima Aircraft Company, have been uncovered by the authorities.

—Reuter.

5000 WILL EVACUATE FOR EXPLOSION

Former Jap Magazine To Be Blown Up Soon

Postponed from May 16, the blowing up of the Lyemun Magazine containing some 50 tons of high explosives in dangerous condition will take place on July 2, the "China Mail" learned from authoritative sources yesterday. The explosives were stored there by the Japanese army.

The explosions will affect a one-mile radius of Shaukiwan, housing more than 75,000 people, including the floating section.

The danger area which is to be completely evacuated includes the old Police Station, Kung Am Point, Pak Sha Wan, Lyemun Barracks and the whole village of Ah Kung Ngam.

The area in which precautions are to be taken against falling rocks and stones reaches the east gate of Taikoo Dockyard, Sal Wan Bay, the old Police Station and Sam Ka Tsun, opposite Shaukiwan. It includes the slopes of Devil's Peak and Mount Parker.

Warning Signal

"Zero Hour" has been fixed at 10.30 a.m. At 9.45 a.m. the Taikoo Dockyard will sound one long warning signal on the dockyard siren. By this time, the danger area (500-yard radius) will have been evacuated.

Three minutes before "Zero Hour" the Taikoo Dockyard siren will begin sounding a long fluctuating signal—lasting until the explosion takes place. As there may be more than one explosion, people within the one-mile radius will be ordered to remain under cover until the police on duty permit them to move abroad.

The Marine Department yesterday issued circular warning all craft to clear out of the danger area when the first signal is sounded by Taikoo Dockyard.

On the edge of the danger area, a police cordon will be formed to prevent stragglers and looters from going into the evacuated area when the operation is completed.

Ambulance Stand By

Four Water Police launches including a cruising boat will be in charge of seeing that all craft are cleared from the danger area before "Zero Hour." An ambulance and a fire engine will be standing by the new Police Station.

The actual blowing up of the Magazine will be in the hands of the Army who will be represented by Major Steinhauer. Police operations will be handled by District Superintendent (East) Mr. T.E. Clunie, assisted by Inspector A.S. Fleming, officer in charge of the Shaukiwan Police Station.

All undesirable persons from all walks of life have now been eliminated from public positions as a result of the purge programme, instituted in compliance of the Potzdamer declaration.

The Japanese purge committees were abolished earlier.—Reuter.

Jap Purge Complete

Tokyo, June 22. Final steps to abolish the purge machinery, set up two and a half years ago, to remove ultra-nationalistic and other undesirable persons from public office, were taken yesterday with the dissolution of the public service qualifications division of the SCAP's government section, it was officially announced today.

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Israel Govt Stops Jewish Terrorists

Tel-Aviv, June 22. Stopped down the extremist Irgun Zvai Leumi yesterday when it attempted to land a shipload of arms and ammunition between Haifa and Tel-Aviv, it is learned today.

As United Nations observers looked on two Israeli patrol vessels opened fire and drove the Irgun arms ship away from the Jewish State's shore.

The arms vessel had been spotted earlier near Nathanya, the diamond town between Haifa and Tel-Aviv, by a United Nations observation plane which radioed its position to the military observers at Tel-Aviv.

The ship, the 4,000-ton American-built landing craft Almundo renamed Valder Jabotinsky, left the port in 1947.

The Valder Jabotinsky approached the jetty built several months ago for the landing of immigrants. However, just as the discharge of the arms began strong forces of Palmach (Haganah commandos) reached the landing site, overpowered the Irgunists and prevented them from discharging the arms.

Three Killed

Mosheh Bialik, leader of the Irgunists, abandoned his attempts to supervise the operations from the Irgun radio car and turned to face the Government forces.

Israeli troops occupied all strategic points along the Haifa-Tel-Aviv road bringing traffic to a standstill. The Government forces prevented Irgun reinforcements from reaching the landing site of the British racing port.

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Hong Kong, 19th June, 1948.

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CHART AFFECTED:—3279.

AUTHORITY:—Marine Department.

J. JOLLY,
Director of Marine.
Marine Department,
Hong Kong, 21st June, 1948.

MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTIFICATION

For Information of Ship Operators and Charterers

It is hereby notified that Friday, 18th June, 1948, has been declared a Weather non-working day.

J. JOLLY,
Director of Marine.
Marine Department,
Hong Kong, 22nd June, 1948.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG
PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS of Victor Eysmont otherwise known as Eysmont-Viktor or Victor A. Eysmont late of Shanghai, Widow, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 12th day of July 1948.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 16th day of June 1948.

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Owners of land and/or buildings situated in Hong Kong, Kowloon and New Kowloon are reminded that Property Tax for the year of assessment 1948/49 is payable at the Treasury, 1a Des Voeux Road Central, on or before the 31st July, 1948, and that in the event of default in payment of this Tax by 12 noon on that date, a sum of five per cent of the amount in default will be added to the tax and recovered therewith.

ERIC W. APUDNEY,
Commissioner of Inland Revenue.

18th June, 1948.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG
PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS of Isabelle Johnson or Johnston late of No. 209 Prince Edward Road Kowloon in the Colony of Hongkong, Widow, deceased.

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US AND WESTERN EUROPE DEFENCE CHIEFS TO MEET

Washington, June 21.

Representatives of the Western European countries will soon begin military talks with the United States defence chiefs. These talks, probably to be held in Washington, will open a new phase in the development of American policy toward Europe.

Officials said today the conversations, in a sense, would be based on the Senate-approved resolution drafted by Senator Vandenberg. It would put the Senate on record as favouring United States support of regional defence alliances where they serve this country's security interests.

One such regional alliance is the still developing Western European Union of Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

These nations have laid down plans for broad political, economic and military cooperation which the American Government hopes will provide the nucleus of a United States of Europe.

Functioning In London

'One agency of that group is a military committee functioning in London. This committee is understood to have made extensive studies of strategic problems.

CHIANG MAKES FLYING VISIT TO THE FRONT

Shanghai, June 22.

President Chiang Kai-shek, accompanied by Madame Chiang, flew over the burning city of Kaifeng yesterday in his private plane and then directed the airlifting of additional rescue divisions to the staging area in Chengchow, 40 miles west, where he landed and rested briefly before flying to Sian in Shensi province.

Making his first trip from Nanking since his inauguration as President on May 20, Chiang Kai-shek took off in a special plane and circled over Kaifeng where the battered garrison defenders were desperately holding out in three or four strong points in the heart of the city in face of furious Communist attacks.

Chiang's plane, presumably escorted by fighters, also flew over the outskirts of the burning city where he observed surging Communists rushing toward Kaifeng from Western Shantung, blocking the progress of several Nationalist rescue columns sent to reinforce the Kaifeng garrison.

Frantic Appeal

Chiang's trip to the front was believed to be the result of a frantic appeal by a Honan delegation that the President take personal charge of the operations to save their provincial capital, which is one of the strategic cities on the Lungshu railway. The delegation parked themselves outside the President's residence in Nanking for five hours on Sunday.

The President and his party landed at Chengchow, 40 miles west of Kaifeng and on the juncture of the Lungshu and Peking-Hankow railways for a short stop. There he immediately plunged into a military conference arranging the airlift of crack Government divisions to the Chengchow area to launch a major counter offensive against the Communist concentration in Kaifeng.

Pro-Government reports claimed that Nationalist commanders hope to draw large concentrations of Red Army units into the Kaifeng area for what may develop into decisive positional battle, which the Communists have thus far tried to avoid. United Press.

B29 NOT YET FOUND

Asmara, Eritrea, June 21. The Flying Fortress lost on the way to Saudi Arabia on June 15 has not been located, despite a continuous search by air and sea rescue parties.

It is assumed that the Fortress crashed in the Persian Gulf and was sunk.

Latest messages from Dhurah state that the Italians aboard numbered eight and not 12 as previously reported. Another Italian was found dead on Sunday, in the sea with his parachute open. Six Italians are safe with minor injuries. Associated Press.

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REPUBLICAN JOCKEYING

Dewey Wins First Round In Clash With Taft

"Win The Peace" Programme

Philadelphia, June 21.

Rival contenders for nomination as Presidential candidate plunged today into a fight to obtain mastery of the Republican National Convention which formally opened its proceedings in Philadelphia today.

It was generally believed by delegates today that the chances of Senator Arthur Vandenberg, Congressional champion of the Marshall Plan, have receded somewhat during the last 24 hours.

This is because of Senator Vandenberg's postponement of his arrival from Washington until today, because of his continued silence as to whether he wanted the nomination and because of the immensely powerful "blitzkrieg" tactics which supporters of Governor Thomas E. Dewey carried out yesterday and last night in a series of meetings with delegates.

Party Policy

The next test of strength in the fight to control the Convention will come tomorrow or Wednesday in the debates over Party policy, including an endorsement of the internationalist foreign policy and the aid to Europe programme identified with Vandenberg.

An attempt will probably be made by the "isolationists" of the party, led by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Mr. Joseph Martin, another candidate for the nomination, to water-down the provisions of this part of the policy.

Keynote Speech

Governor Dwight Green of Illinois, in a keynote speech at the Republican National Convention, declared that the Republicans will wage the campaign as the "Win the peace" party on the foreign policy front.

Domestically the issue will be "free enterprise" against New Deal "regimentation" and "bureaucracy."

He urged delegates to nominate a "new leader for Greater America," and confidently predicted that the Republicans would win the presidency and keep control of Congress in the November elections.

He declared that the "New Deal cannot win with Mr. Truman," and even if Truman is dropped whatever candidate is nominated by the Democratic convention must run on the New Deal record which is "discredited" by the American people.

He added a thinly veiled warning to the ultra-conservative wing of the Republican Party: "We are not going back to any yesterdays. All our yesterdays have taught us that we have a duty to tomorrow."

Dewey's Success

Governor Thomas Dewey's Presidential stock rose today when he captured most of the 16-vote Georgia delegation.

At the same time, Senator Arthur Vandenberg made it plain that he was in the race to stay and the Chicago publisher, Colonel Robert McCormick, advocated a Taft-Stassen ticket.

Dewey won the Georgia victory in the convention Credentials Committee, which voted 26-24 to seat a delegation favouring his candidacy. It was a sharp setback for Senator Robert Taft of Ohio.

A group favourable to Senator Taft, with Stassen as second choice, had protested the seating of Dewey delegates.

The decision, upholding a ruling last week by the Republican National Committee, is still subject to overthrow by the full convention—but that is not likely to happen.

Senator Vandenberg put himself into the race on a purely draft basis. He issued a statement that his position on the Presidential nomination was unchanged. That meant he would not seek nomination, nor would he refuse it.

McCormick Ticket

Col. McCormick's endorsement of a Taft-Stassen ticket coincided with rumours that some kind of a "deal" was in progress. All rumours were denied in high places almost as rapidly as they arose, but there seemed some substance to talk that trades were being discussed on a lower level.

The "Chicago Tribune" publisher issued a statement that he advocates Senator Taft for President, first, last and always, and that he had no second choice. But he suggested that Stassen should make the Ohio Senator a good running mate because he was strong with the young people, where "mature people think he lacks maturity."

Col. McCormick said flatly that he never would take Dewey or Senator Vandenberg for the Republican nominee, because he did not think either could win against President Truman in November.

Russian Strong Arm Stuff

Vienna, June 21.

Armed Russians today seized by force a prisoner taken in an International Control car to police headquarters in Vienna; the British authorities announced.

This is the third similar incident recently. The man is believed to be a Russian who was disguised as an Austrian civilian.—Reuter.

PURGE AT THE AIR MINISTRY

London, June 21.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, today defended last week's decision to ban the employment of Communists and Fascists from the headquarters of the Air Ministry, but refused to reveal whether the ban would be extended to the local Government and the Armed Forces.

Answering questions in the House of Commons, he said that all work in the Air Ministry headquarters was considered vital to the security of the State.

He did not believe that the decision constituted any extension of the policy announced on March 15 of banning political extremists from security posts in the Civil Service.

The former Socialist, Mr. John Platts-Mills, who was expelled from the party in April for alleged pro-Communist views, called the Government's ban "Victims" and "this instalment of the American way of life."—Reuter.

Homer Doesn't Want To Go Home

Genoa, June 21.

Vivian Homer, 35-year-old Texan sentenced here for passing bad cheques, collapsed in his cell today when he was told that the United States authorities have asked for his extradition for trial in America.

Homer is already under a medical sentence of death because of an incurable throat cancer. He hoped to pass the remaining days in the quiet obscurity of Genoa's prison.

But the North American Insurance Company's branch office at Houston has demanded that he be brought back to the United States to stand trial on charges of theft and swindling of more than \$5,000.

Italian authorities said that the extradition request is likely to be granted.—United Press.

YESTERDAYS' DUTY TO TOMORROW

Philadelphia, June 21.

Mr. Dwight H. Green, the Republican Governor of Illinois, giving the "keynote" address at the Republican Party Convention here, said: "We shall do nothing to provoke war. Rather, we shall make in this Convention a real covenant for peace."

China Coinage Export Ban

Canton, June 22.

The export of silver and copper coins, without permit either from the Central Bank of China or the Ministry of Finance in Nanking, is strictly forbidden.

Instructions to this effect, reliable sources report here, have been sent by the Ministry of Finance to all Provincial Governors and Mayors.

Non-contravention of this ruling may result in life imprisonment, the same sources add.—Reuter.

KRUPP ACQUITTAL PROTEST

Nuremberg, June 21.

Brig. Gen. Telford Taylor, Chief American Prosecutor at the Nuremberg war crimes trials, today petitioned the American Military Court to reconsider its acquittal on April 5 of Alfred Krupp and 11 co-defendants of the giant Krupp arms combine.

The Court dropped charges of conspiracy to commit such crimes because the prosecution had not presented sufficient evidence against the 12 defendants.

Brig. Gen. Taylor said in his petition that the prosecution regarded as "an erroneous interpretation" the tribunal's statement that the International military tribunal required proof that each defendant had actual knowledge of war of aggression in order to find him guilty.

The prosecution also regarded as equally unfounded the Krupp tribunal's reliance on the dismissal of Hansmar Schacht and Albrecht Speer on the aggressive war charge before the International military tribunal.—Reuter.

BRITISH TROOPS STAND GUARD

Nairobi, June 21.

British troops arrived here today to guard 250 Jews, suspected terrorists and political offenders, who are increasing the propaganda pressure on Britain for failing to repatriate them to Palestine by June 15.

The repatriation was cancelled on June 7 because it was considered that it might endanger the truce negotiations. The problem is being referred to Count Bernadotte, the United Nations mediator for Palestine.—Reuter.

CHEN LI-FU

Washington, June 21.

Dr. Chen Li-Fu, Vice-President of the Chinese Legation, Yuan, is to leave for Philadelphia tomorrow to observe the Republican convention. From there, he will go to New York to visit friends.

Dr. Chen intends to return to China toward the end of July. He arrived in Washington last week after attending the world assembly of Moral Rearmament at Riverside, California.—United Press.



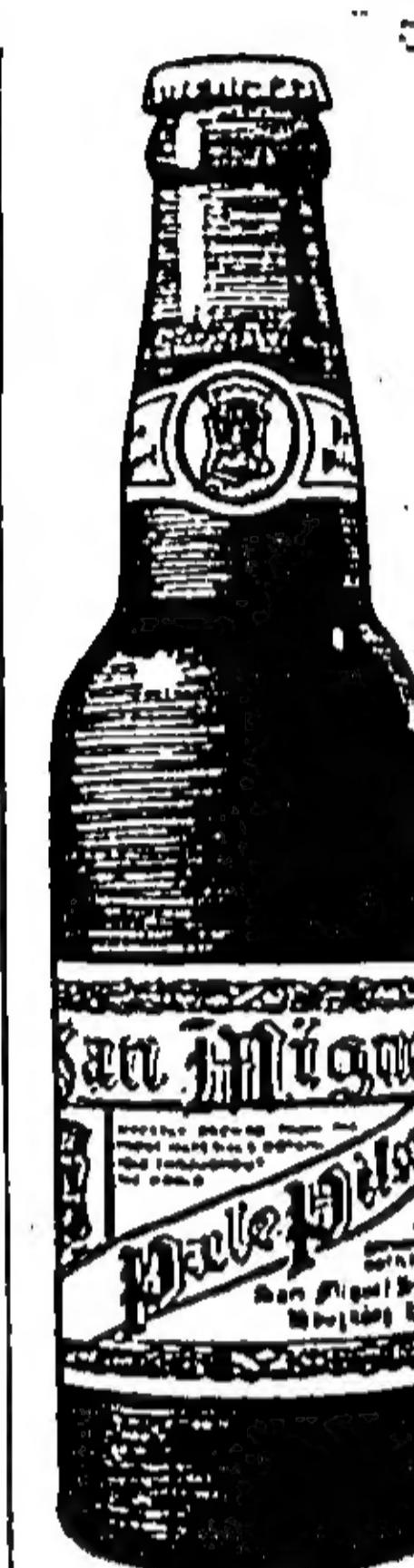
The Briton's Problem

London, June 21.

"What is the main problem that faces you and your family at the present time?" This was the question that men and women in all walks of life, living in every part of the country, were recently asked by a Gallup poll.

Their replies, which are also compared with the replies last January, were as follows and show that the cost of living is really the main problem from the richest to the poorest.

The cost of living today 51 per cent (January 26 per cent); food shortage 21 per cent (January 25 per cent); housing 18 (11); clothing shortage nine (11); health six (five); personal problems one (three); unemployment problems one (four); miscellaneous one (15); none mentioned eight (seven).—Reuter.



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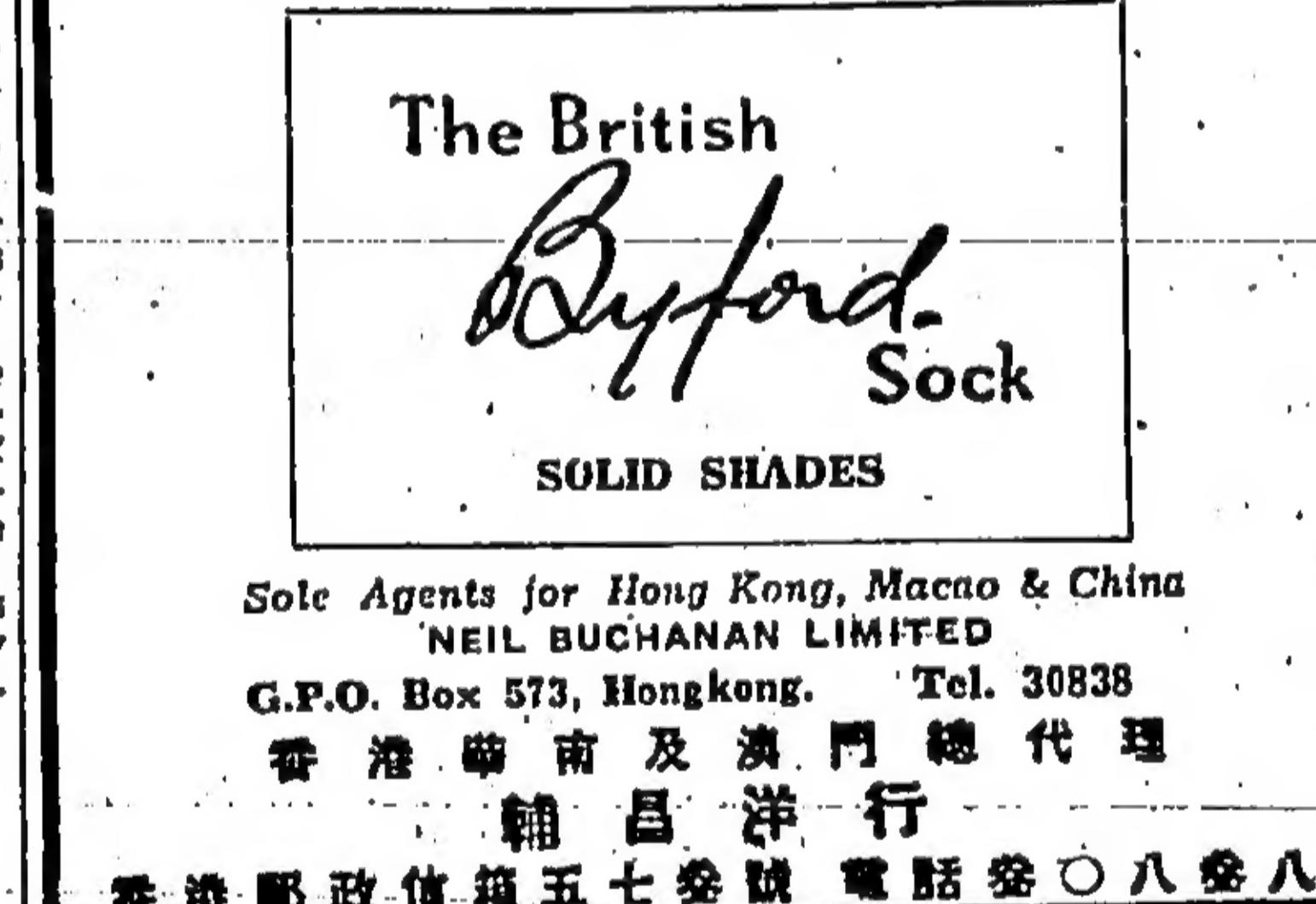
London, June 21.

The work of the London Conference of the "Big Four" Foreign Ministers' deputies for the disposal of the former Italian colonies was carried a stage further today.

The report of their investigation commission on Eritrea was completed and sent to the interested governments.

The Somaliland report of the commission, which recently returned to London after a tour of the former Italian colonies, is expected to be ready within the next five days.

The report on Libya, which is scheduled to be completed by June 25, may be slightly delayed.—Reuter.



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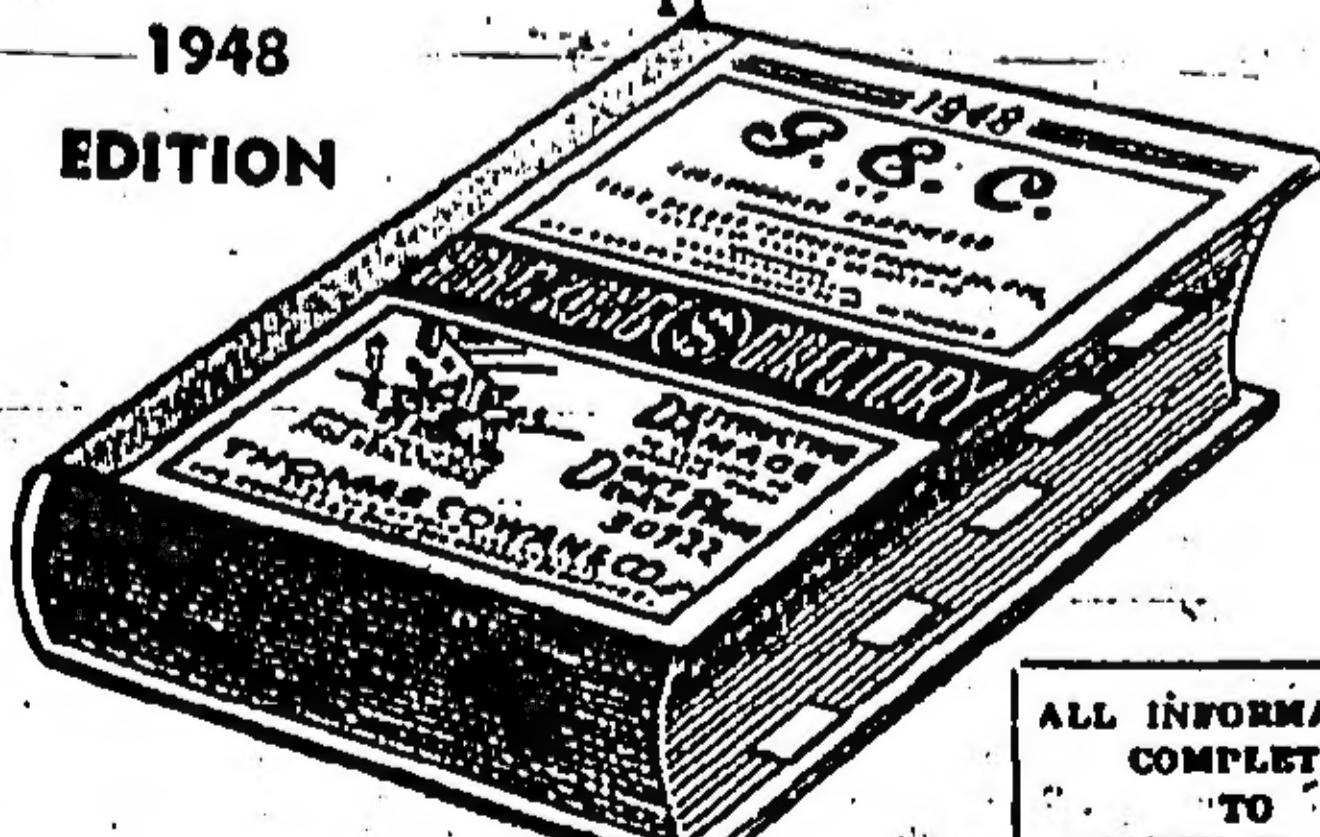
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GREEK ARMIES CLOSING IN ON GUERRILLA MOUNTAIN STRONGHOLD

Athens, June 21.

Division was reported to-night only eight miles from a main rebel base at Lykorrhachis in the heart of the towering Grammos mountains.

Greek Air Force planes backed up the swift advance.

The Ninth jumped off on Sunday night from Konitsa and began steady drive toward the core of guerrilla forces as six divisions began an all-out campaign to break the Communist rebellion.

Dispatches said that the troops of the Ninth moved ahead four miles without any opposition when the Division opened its push. It is not known what point the Ninth has for its objective, but it was reported rolling rapidly over wild mountain terrain, inflicting heavy punishment on the guerrillas, and to have captured heights within three miles of the town of Peryxoyani.

The Ninth is advised by American Lieutenant Colonel Joseph D. Isenman of Pittsburgh.

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General Strike Called Off

Milan, June 21.

The threatened general strike in Milan province was called off late today.

The local council of unions announced that a monastic demonstration would take place within a week in Piazza del Duomo.

Milan's labour council had already issued instructions to various syndicates to prepare for a general strike. It would have involved all categories of workers including public services.

Tension between industrialists and labour organisations struck a new high today when the noted Thotta Fraschini motor and automobile works dismissed 1,000 workers. Relations already have been strained because of the strike of the Motta Candy workers.

The Fraschini plants have been in difficulties for about a year. The Government intervened repeatedly with financial assistance but high production costs and low exports prevented the company from getting its financial bearings.—United Press.

The Demand Is Over

Brightlingsea, Essex, June 21.

Seagulls are now sitting patiently on 13 eggs on Ra Island in the Colne Estuary. The eggs are all that was left of 500 laid there this year.

All the rest have gone to London wholesalers for sale in restaurants. Eight hundred eggs were collected by fishermen in one visit to the island.

When it became known that the eggs could fetch 25/- a dozen, yachtsmen and holidaymakers joined the rush. The price of eggs fell to 4/- a dozen.

Now the wholesalers have told the collectors: "Don't send any more. The demand is over." So few seagulls will be allowed to go on patiently hatching the last 13 eggs.—Reuter.

Durban Demonstration

Durban, June 21.

More than 5,000 people outside Durban's city hall today roared acceptance of a resolution protesting against the release of Robey Leiberman and four other political offenders.

The meeting called on the Government to resign and seek decisive mandate for the policy they are now pursuing. All references to the Ossewabrandwag and Broderbond (Organisations) were booted.

After crying "down with Smuts", a man was saved from serious injury at the hands of the crowd by police. Blows were exchanged and the man's coat was torn from his back.—Associated Press.

Washington, June 21.

United States exports to Asia

climbed US\$12,500,000 to a total of US\$108,000,000 for April,

The Census Bureau reported today.

Imports from Asia declined US\$10,000,000 to a total of US\$102,300,000.—Associated Press.

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Marshal Tito's Invitation

Washington, June 21.

Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia has invited the United States Government that his country is ready and willing to sponsor a 10-nation conference in Belgrade on July 30 to discuss international navigation on the Danube.

Previously, the Yugoslav Foreign Minister, M. Stanjevo Simitch, said that Belgrade could not serve as the site for the conference because of technical difficulties.

The United States has agreed to the choice of Belgrade for the meeting.—Reuter.

NO PASSPORTS

Paris, June 21.

Greek Socialists could not attend the Congress of European, Asiatic and African Peoples, which opened in Paris on Saturday, because they were only granted passports yesterday. Mr. Fennor Brockway, former political Secretary of the British Independent Labour Party, announced today.

He said this information was given to him in a cable from the Foreign Office in London in answer to his letter about Greek Government's refusal to grant passports to the Greek delegates.

A British military court in Haifa today fined the 24-year-old master, Gad Hilb, of the Pan York £20 for failing to give specific information of the ship's sailing orders and manifest.

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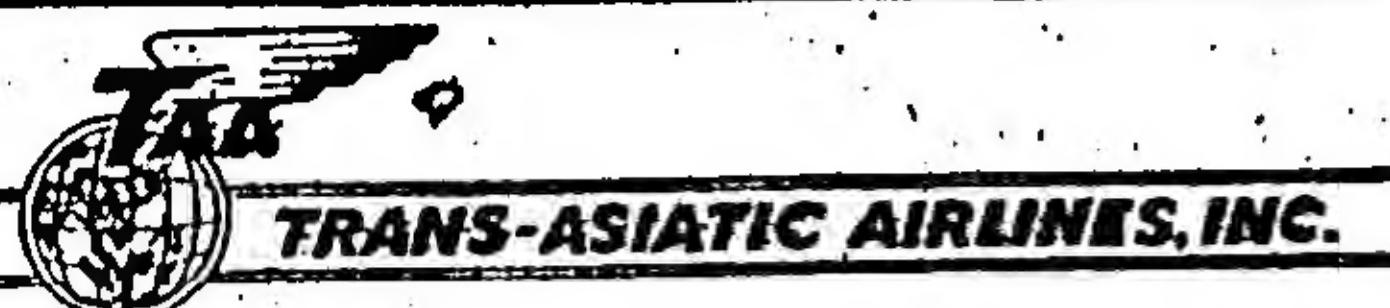
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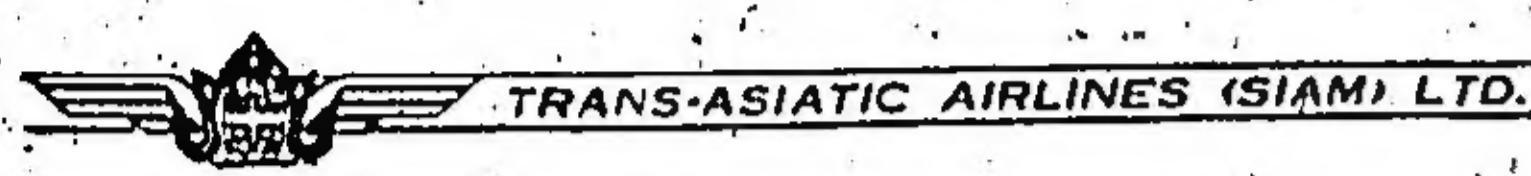
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A Hong Kong which almost resents any break with a narrow conventionalism and would rather see its womankind resorting to bridge and mahjong parties than busying themselves about civic affairs has naturally viewed the activities of the H.K. Council of Women with fairly complete lack of favour. Almost as naturally, the Council, getting off to a somewhat impetuous start, has made a number of mistakes, in addition to its successes such as the pressure which resulted in women being called upon to serve on local juries for the first time in the Colony's history. By and large, however, the movement has developed most encouragingly and the women of the Colony who have participated in its work have had the reward and satisfaction of sound accomplishment. A considerable expansion of the scope of the Council's activities is now planned, and the conference shortly to be held at Government House promises to be something of a revelation to those without experience of the work of similar Women's Councils in other parts of the world.

Feminist energies along these lines have, of course, expressed themselves most vigorously in the United States, to such an extent as to inspire writers to mockery and cartoonists to highly amusing caricatures. It is interesting therefore to read in a recent book by Geoffrey Gorer, a British anthropologist, a rousing defence of what he terms "these mothers of grown sons" with their eagerness for good causes.

They are, he says, many of them, civically conscious and conscientious; they are imbued with genuine, if often provincial and impractical, idealism, untainted with the amorality of the male world of business; if they are convinced of the rightness of their cause they will give their time, money, and energy unstintingly. Also, in the May issue of the Women's Home Companion, James Madison Wood, President Emeritus of Stephens' College, tells of his plans for a new type of college for women of mature years whose lives may seem "aimless and often useless" because they have reared their families. Speaking of the revolutionary decisions that face society, he declares of women:

"With their accumulated experience and wisdom they are the ones best fitted to do the job, since the problems of the community, the nation, and the world are only expansions of the problems of the family. If women have reared children successfully they know why; if they failed, they know what their mistakes were."

Dr. Wood points out that at present well-meaning feminine energies through clubs and otherwise, are too often dissipated in feverish, sporadic activity which burns out enthusiasm before definite gains have been made. Women need to learn patient persistence and realism in the face of the immense practical problems confronting society. But men need to learn to rate at their true value the open-mindedness and idealism women can bring to these same problems.

DON IDDON'S DIARY**The British Ain't Too Popular Just Now**

And even when I sold our telephones and railways and roads might be better. Mr. Rains said imperiously: "I like them that way."

The Greatest Mail

During the voyage I finally got down to the letters which my two articles on Britain brought about. It will take some weeks to answer them all as, due to some reason not clear to me, nothing I have ever written has resulted in such an avalanche of mail.

It won't tire you with the details, but you should know that out of the hundreds of letters sent to me only 10 were hostile. Sixteen of these were from Socialists who accused me of being a hireling of the Rothermere Press, presenting the Tory viewpoint, and the other three were Conservatives, dismayed that I had said that their party was "frequently futile and foolish."

Sorry To Leave

Finally I approached him and introduced myself. He hungered for company and declared: "I was born in Brixton. I've never felt sadder about leaving England, though I've been an American citizen for a good many years now. My wife and daughter, who'd never been to England before, love the country. I practically had to drag them aboard. I must make many more trips. I've never met with such kindness. There's nothing wrong with our lot."

Anyway, I say it now. You tell me to speak up for Britain. I shall.

DO NOT HAVE TO BE GOOD COOKS

London, June 20.

British women today learned that they do not have to be good cooks, chaste, or even physically attractive to catch husbands.

In a nationwide poll by Britain's Federation of Psychologists, British men said they would marry a woman—even if she were poor cook, phys-

ically unattractive and unpopular with her family, while chastity is not regarded as an important issue any longer".

British men, who have long held the white hand in marriage, learned through the poll that Britain's 2,000,000 "surplus women" were getting particular in their choice of husbands. No longer is it a case of "too many women chasing to few men."

In fact, British women refuse to marry 15 kinds of men: drunkards, men of low intelligence or moral standards, emotionally unstable, dishonest, from a feeble-minded family, economically unstable, undependable, whom they do not love, but who love them, incompatible, of different colour, not fond of children, permanently ill.

Many women declared they would marry a man though he was a heavy smoker and had been guilty of previous sex relationships—providing he was sorry. Men insist only that the prospective wife will not insist on living with in-laws—or be ten years older.—United Press.

A 21-year-old Chinese woman, Lai Tit-hing, was taken to Queen Mary Hospital from 1 Basilia Terrace, ground floor, about 10:20 a.m. yesterday suffering from the effects of lysis poisoning. Her condition last night was stated to be serious.

COURTMARTIAL**Adjourned**

Hamburg, June 22. The third British court martial in connection with the alleged ill-treatment of German internees in Bad Nauheim interrogation centre will be transferred from Hamburg to London this week, a staff officer of the Rhine Army stated today.

The court which is trying Lieutenant Colonel Robin Stephens, formerly of the Indian Army, adjourned today.

The hearing will be resumed in London about Friday, the staff officer stated.

The defendant, formerly Commanding Officer of the centre, has pleaded not guilty to two charges. The first alleged he ordered the confinement of a German in conditions of hardship. The second listed eight instances of alleged negligence in supervising the administration of the prison.—Associated Press.

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"I said get rid of her! She's wreckin' the layout with that semi-meenie-mines-mo system of hers!"

Lords Ceremony**MOUNTBATTEN AND DUKE OF EDINBURGH**

London, June 21. The Duke of Edinburgh and his uncle, Earl Mountbatten of Burma, are expected to be introduced simultaneously to the House of Lords under their new titles in the next three weeks. The Duke of Edinburgh, it is understood, has been waiting for the return of Lord Mountbatten, who today relinquished office as Governor-General of India, so that his uncle might be present when he took his seat.

Slovak Priests Dismissed

Prague, June 21. Czechoslovak Minister of Health, Father Josef Plojhan, and three Slovak priests have been relieved of their church duties for taking part in politics.

Father Plojhan, of the People's Party, was Minister of Health in Dr. Klement Gottwald's Cabinet set up after the February crisis and retained his post in Mr. Antonin Paparosky's mainly Communist Cabinet formed last week.

The suspension followed publication of a pastoral letter.

The Archbishop of Prague, recalling the warning issued by the Bishop's Conference before the elections that priests should not seek political office because their power of punishment conflicted with their priestly duties, said the suspension of Father Plojhan may be followed by further measures if in the next few months he fails to leave his ministerial office and resign his seat in the National Assembly.

Informed quarters tonight did not preclude the possibility of excommunication.—Reuter.

2-Colour Radar System

Nutley, N.J., June 20.

A new-type two-colour radar system, listed as "a tremendous advance in the field of aerial navigation, has been developed by the International Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The new system, which accurately plots the course of an airplane as a moving green dot on an amber screen, was demonstrated when the company unveiled its new 300 foot microwave transmission tower at its Federal Telecommunications laboratories here.

Also shown was an electronic tape measure which indicates the distance of an airplane to within a tenth of a mile from a type radar and the electronic fixed point.

The Company said the new-type measure can be applied to both commercial and military aviation, although part of the work is being done under military contract.

The two-colour radar accurately plotted the progress of an aircraft when all traces of the plane was lost on the conventional one-colour screen.—Associated Press.

"Traitorous" Elements

Bangkok, June 21.

At a protest meeting against the newly designated Xuan government in Indo-China here by Vietnamese in Siam, their leader, Nguyen du, Guy, President of the Vietnamese delegation to Siam, expressed the belief that the Siamese government would regard General Xuan's government as "French puppet administration" and would therefore boycott it.

Quy described General Xuan and his followers as "traitorous elements" and said that any activities of General Xuan's supporters in Siam would be against Siam's national interests.

One of the speakers read a declaration by President Ho Chi Minh which concluded: "The Government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam reserves the right to judge these traitors (General Xuan and associates) in conformity with the legal code of the Vietnam state."

In the name of the Government and the people of the Republic, I hereby declare null and void any agreement which may be signed by these puppets with any foreign power."—United Press.

INTERNATIONAL AIR CONTROL

Geneva, June 21.

The International Civil Aviation organization, which ended its second plenary assembly here today, has budgeted for an expenditure of Canadian \$2,649,685 in 1949. It also decided to set up a 12-man Air Navigation Commission to supervise the technical aspects of international air transport and approved a legal convention to safeguard the interests of buyers of aircraft for international air services.

Some 250 delegates and observers from 44 nations attended the Conference, which lasted three weeks.—Reuter.

Nazi Loot As Reparations

Frankfurt, June 21. American commercial airline planes are making two daily flights from Frankfurt to Britain with cargoes forming part of \$15 million worth of Nazi-looted gold bars and coins to be melted down and distributed as reparations.

The gold, ranging in origin from 300-year-old Spanish coins to the melted-down gold tooth fillings of murdered concentration camp inmates, has been stored in the foreign depository vaults of the American-operated Rothschild here.

Established as looted by the Nazis from their victims during the Hitler regime, the gold will after melting down serve as reparations.—Roulet.

CLERMONT FERRAND STRIKE

Paris, June 21. No settlement was in sight today of the week-old strike at the Boulonnais rubber factory in Clermont Ferrand, central France—centre of last week's battle between strikers and police.

The local representatives of the Trade Union Federation told factory workers today that a draft agreement, presented by the Boulonnais management, had been rejected. This, instead of granting the minimum wage demanded, proposed to subsidise the factory's cooperative stores so that workers could buy goods cheaper than in the shops of the town.—Roulet.

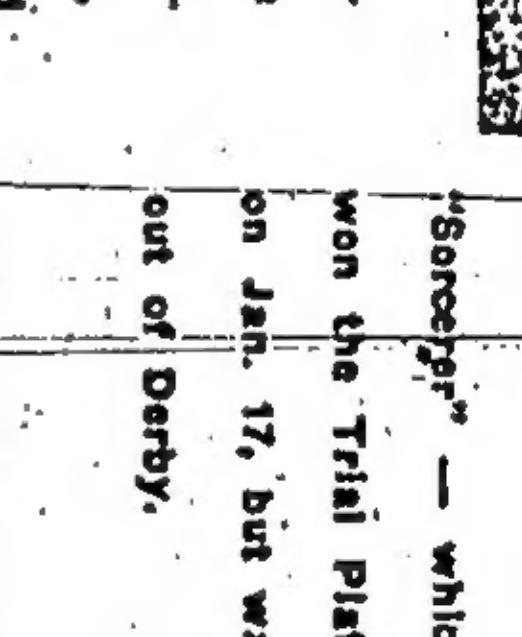
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"Marber"—Winner of the Whitburn Meeting, second section, at the Whitburn Meeting.



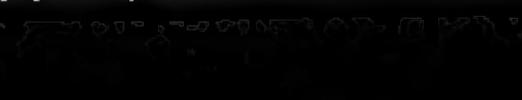
"Wodonga"—One of the best of the "Old Australians", won two races and \$5,200 in stakes.



"Ding" Hwang—Winner of the Hung Hom Stakes on the second day of the Easter Meeting.



"Atman"—Failed to live up to early promises, but won three races, including The Derby and Pearce Memorial Cup. Brought its owner \$5,40 in stakes money.



"Sorcerer"—which won the Trial Plate on Jan. 17, but was out of Derby.



"Black Market"—Winner of the Ladies' Purse, St. George's Plate, Whitburn Plate, and two other events, netting \$12,000 in stakes.



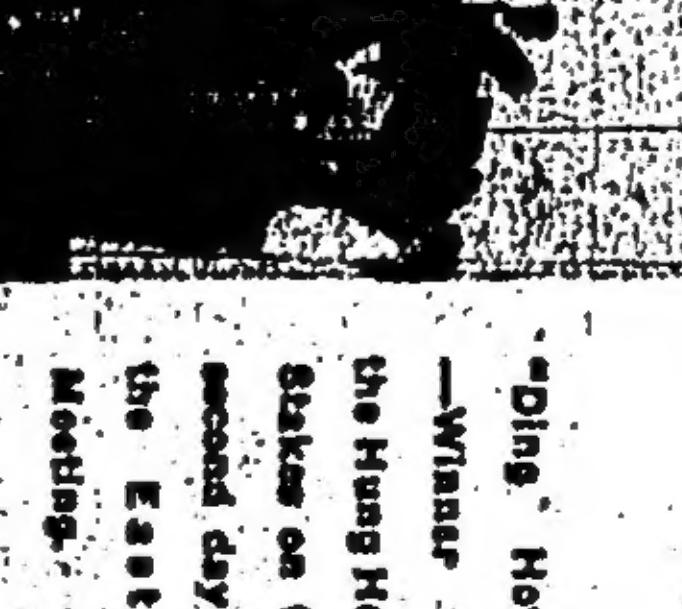
"Winder"—Winner of the Abo Ran Stakes at the Amoy Race Meeting.



"Countess Delight"—Delighted her supporters on two occasions. Won a total of \$4,000 in stakes.



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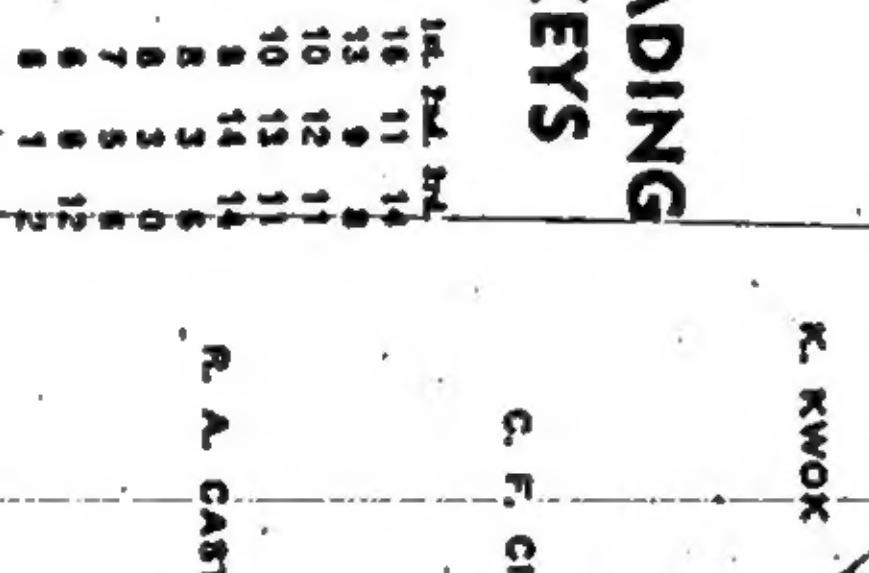
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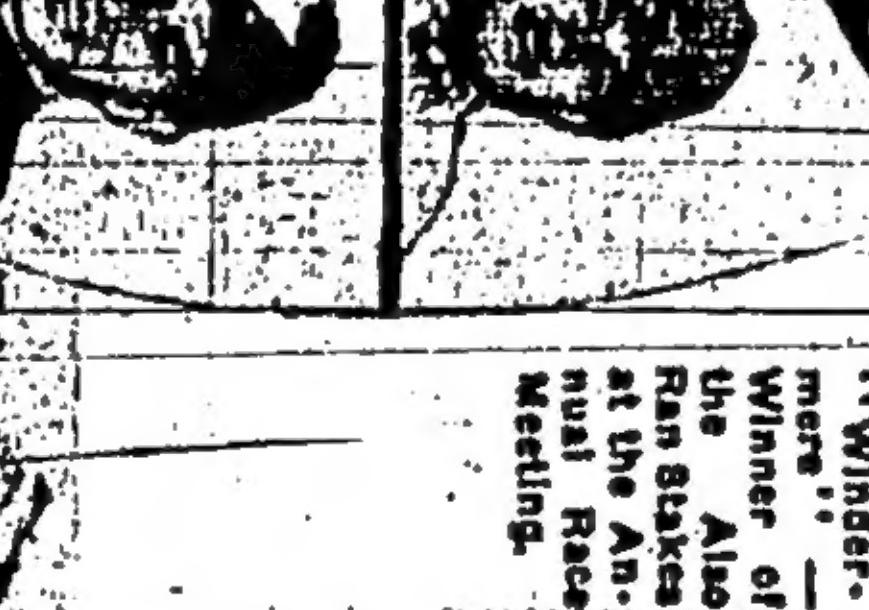
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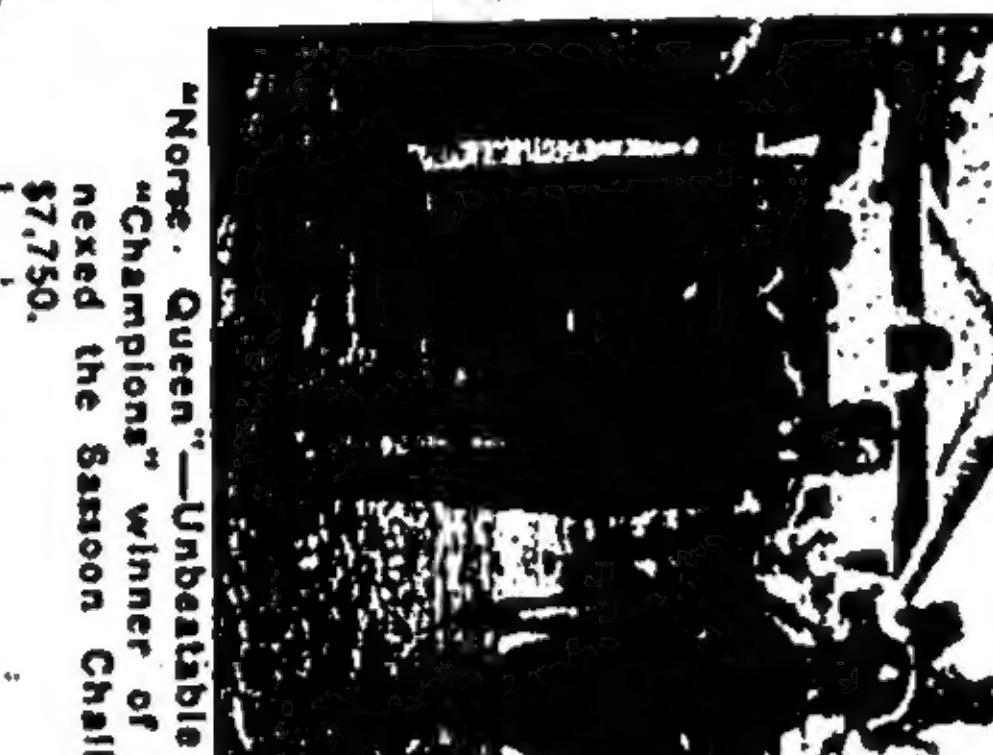
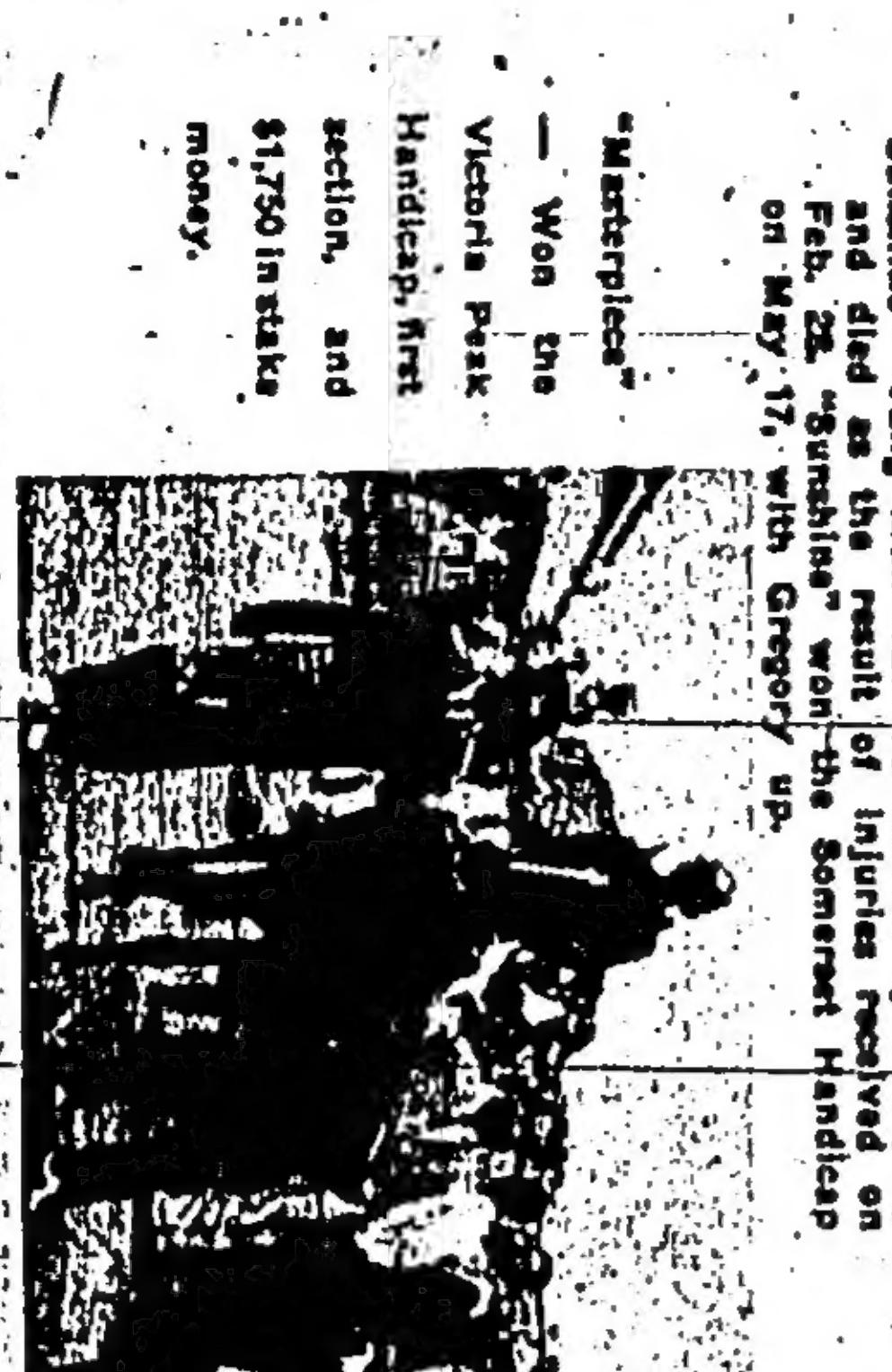
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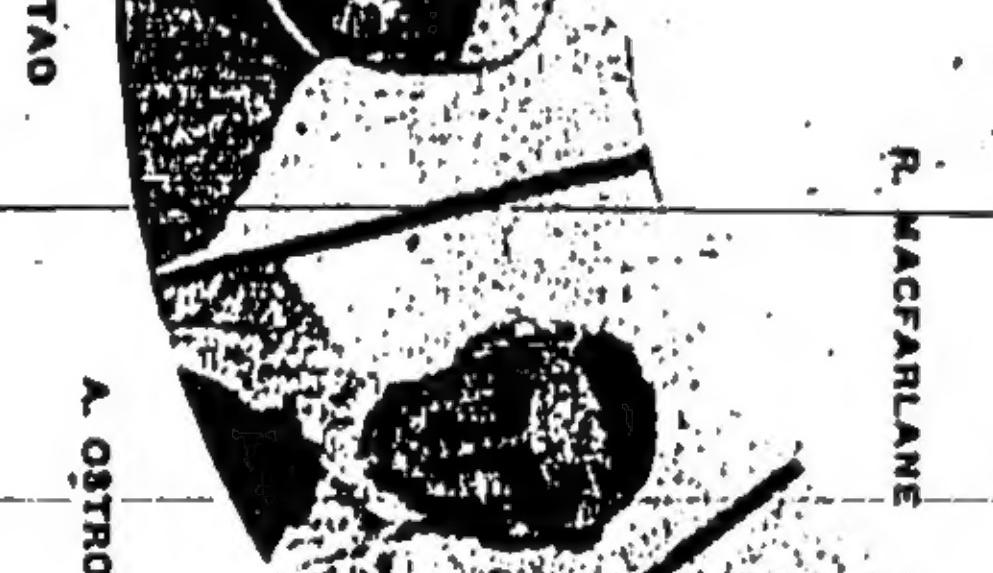
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THE RACING SEASON IN REVIEW

The first half season of the 1948 Racing Year was brought to a close on May 29 when the Hong Kong Jockey Club held its Sixth Extra Meeting.

The season was marred by the fatal accident to Mr. Tang Man-wei who died as the result of injuries sustained through being thrown against the paddock rails on Feb. 28.

Times clocked during the meetings showed that the "Old Australians" are much better than the new 1948 batches. The outstanding pony of the year has been Black Market which has five wins to its credit, including the Ladies' Purse, and has won \$12,000 in stakes.

Other successful ponies were:

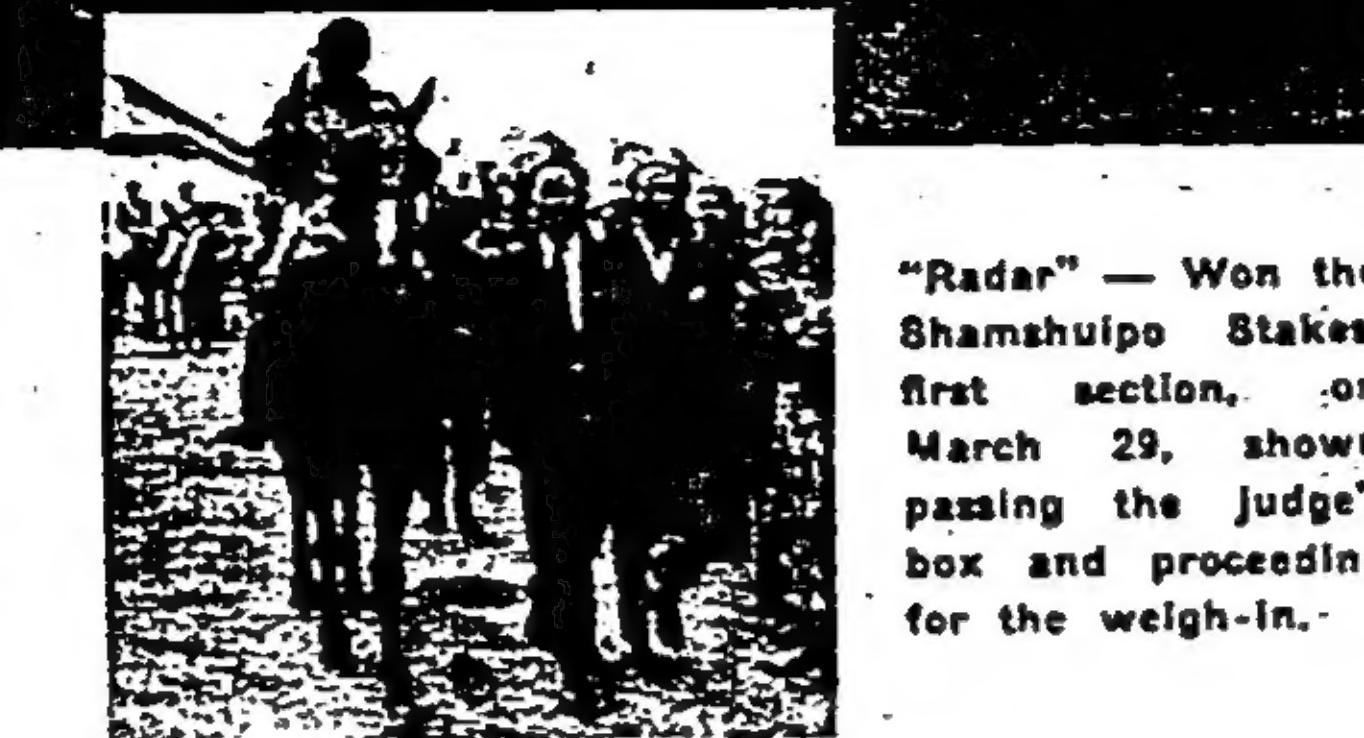
Vagabond King (4) which won \$7,000 in stakes; Atomon (3) \$8,940; Amazon (3) \$5,750; Rebel (3) \$6,750; and (old pony) Norse Queen (3) \$7,750; Daisy Bell (3) \$7,000; Fifth Alarm (3) \$6,500; and Richard I (3) \$5,250.

"Fort Knox"—A much fancied runner. Has accounted for two races and netted \$5,750 for its owner.

"Mongolian King"—Winner of four races and \$7,000 in stakes.

"D. Day"—Winner of two races and \$4,000 in stakes, shown at the post and being led in after its second success.

"Toowoomba Boy"—Winner of the Catteridge Bridge Stakes, fourth section, on Feb. 28.



"Radar"—Won the Shamshui Po Stakes, first section, on March 29, shown passing the judge's box and proceeding for the weigh-in.



"Marbor"—Winner of the Cornwall Stakes, second section, at the Whitsun Meeting.



"Wodonga"—One of the best of the "Old Australians", won two races and \$5,250 in stakes.



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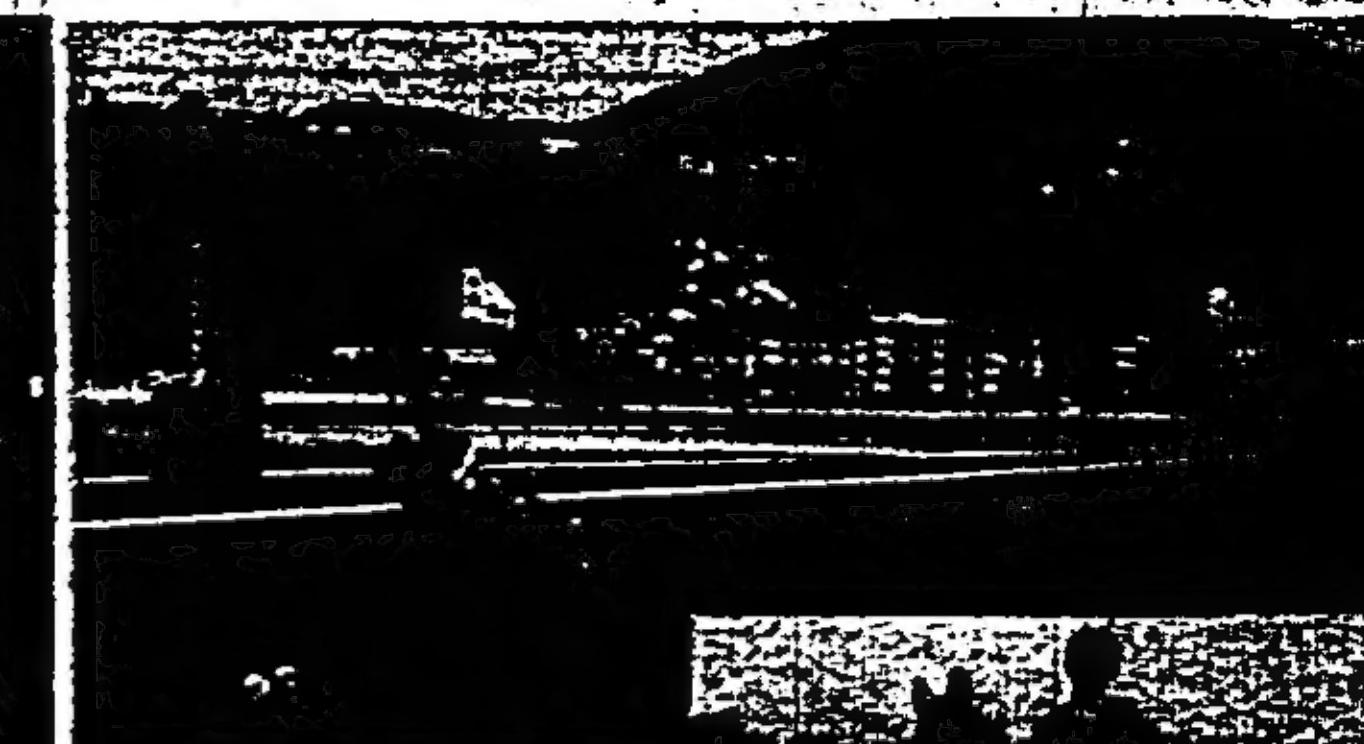
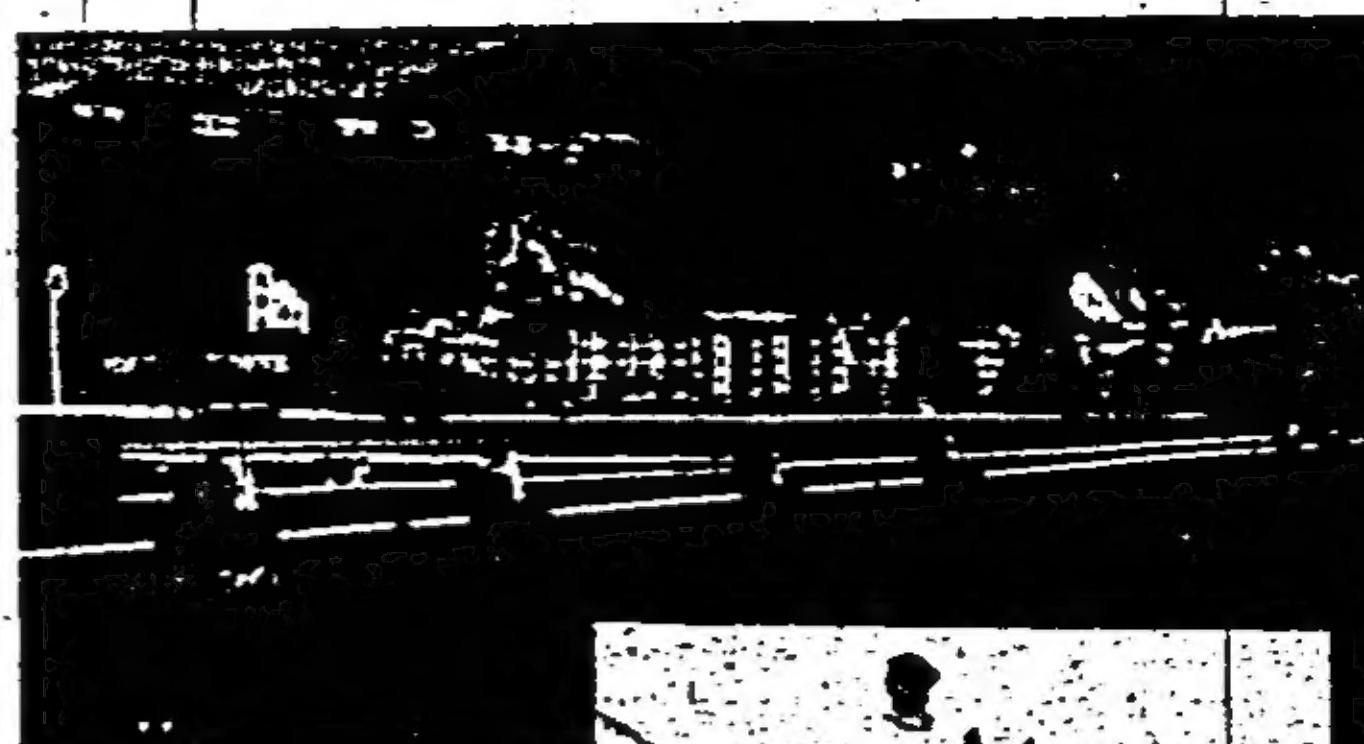
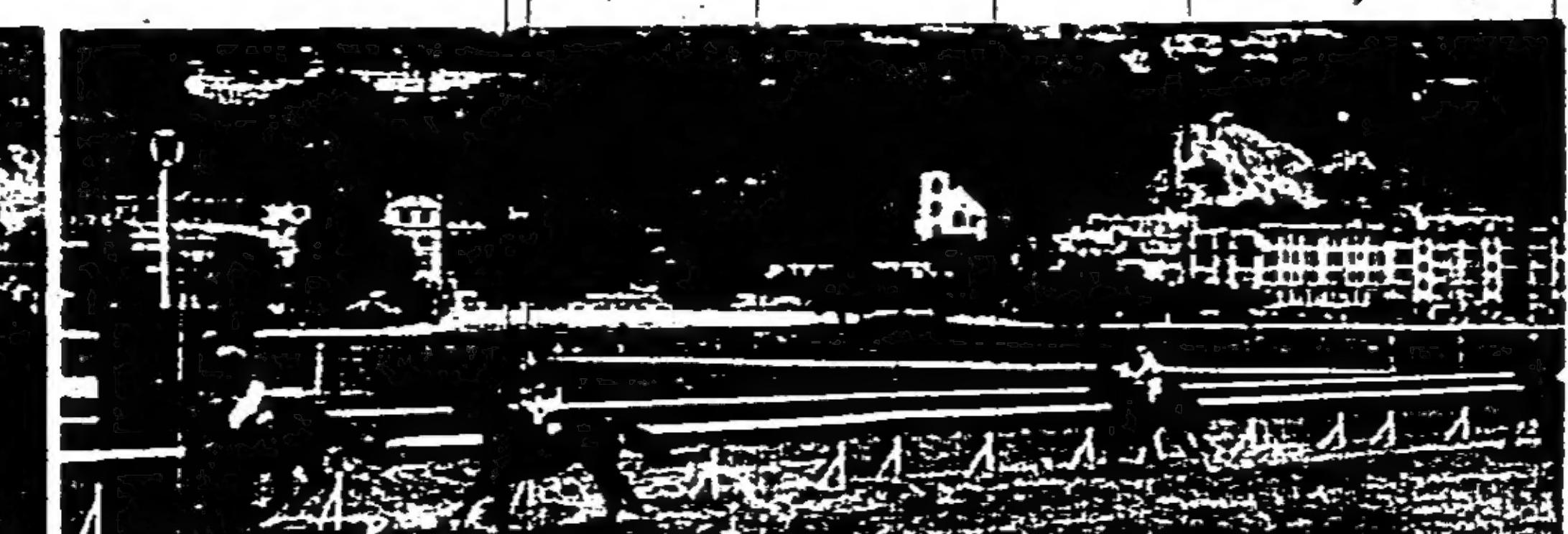
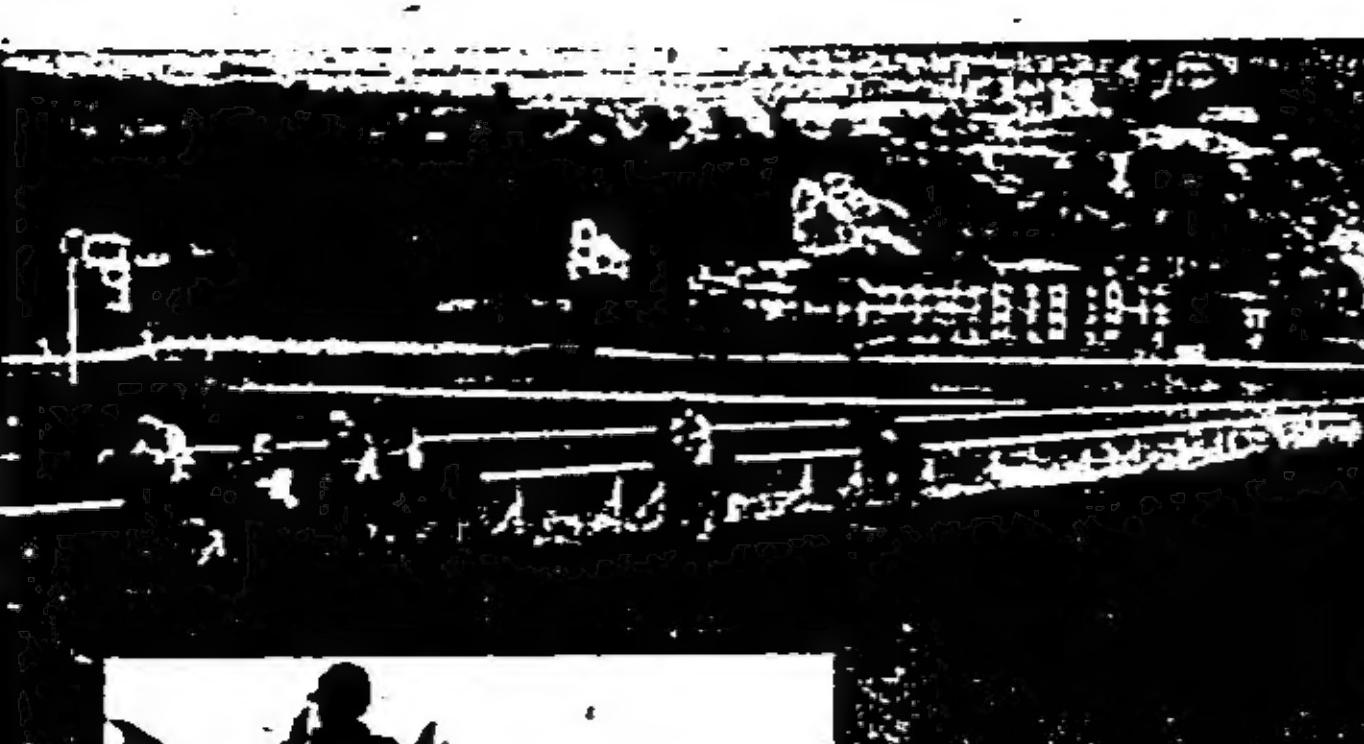
"Masterpiece"—Won the Victoria Peak Handicap, first section, and \$1,750 in stake money.

"Norse Queen"—Unbeatable in a distance event. "Champions" winner of 1947 and 1948. Also annexed the Sassoon Challenge Cup. Stakes won: \$7,750.



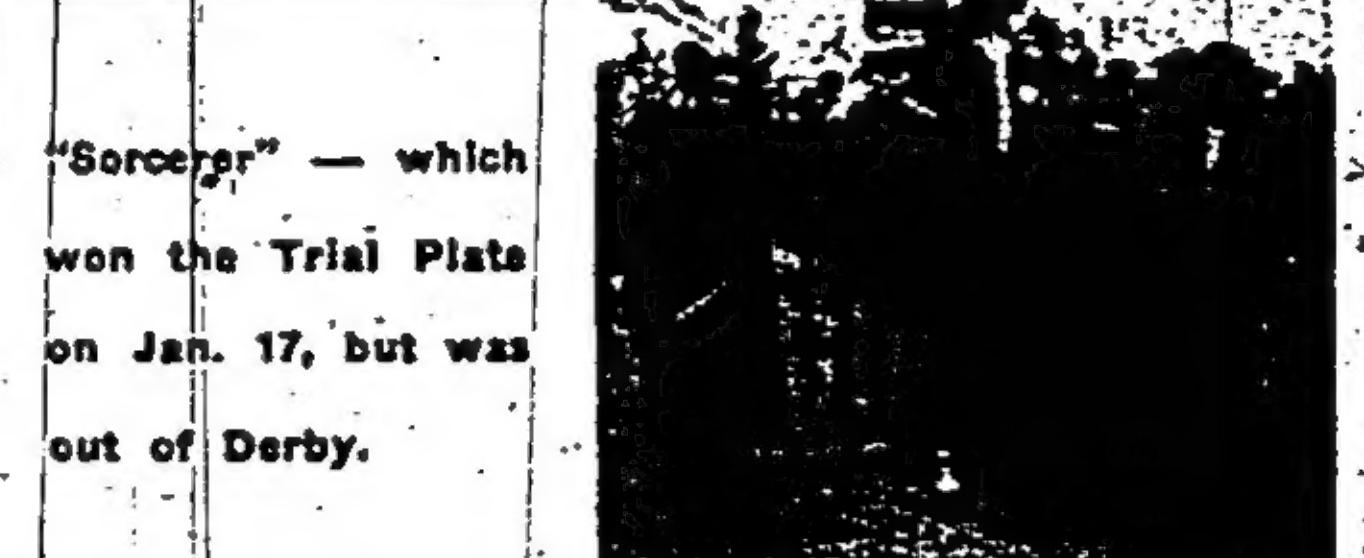
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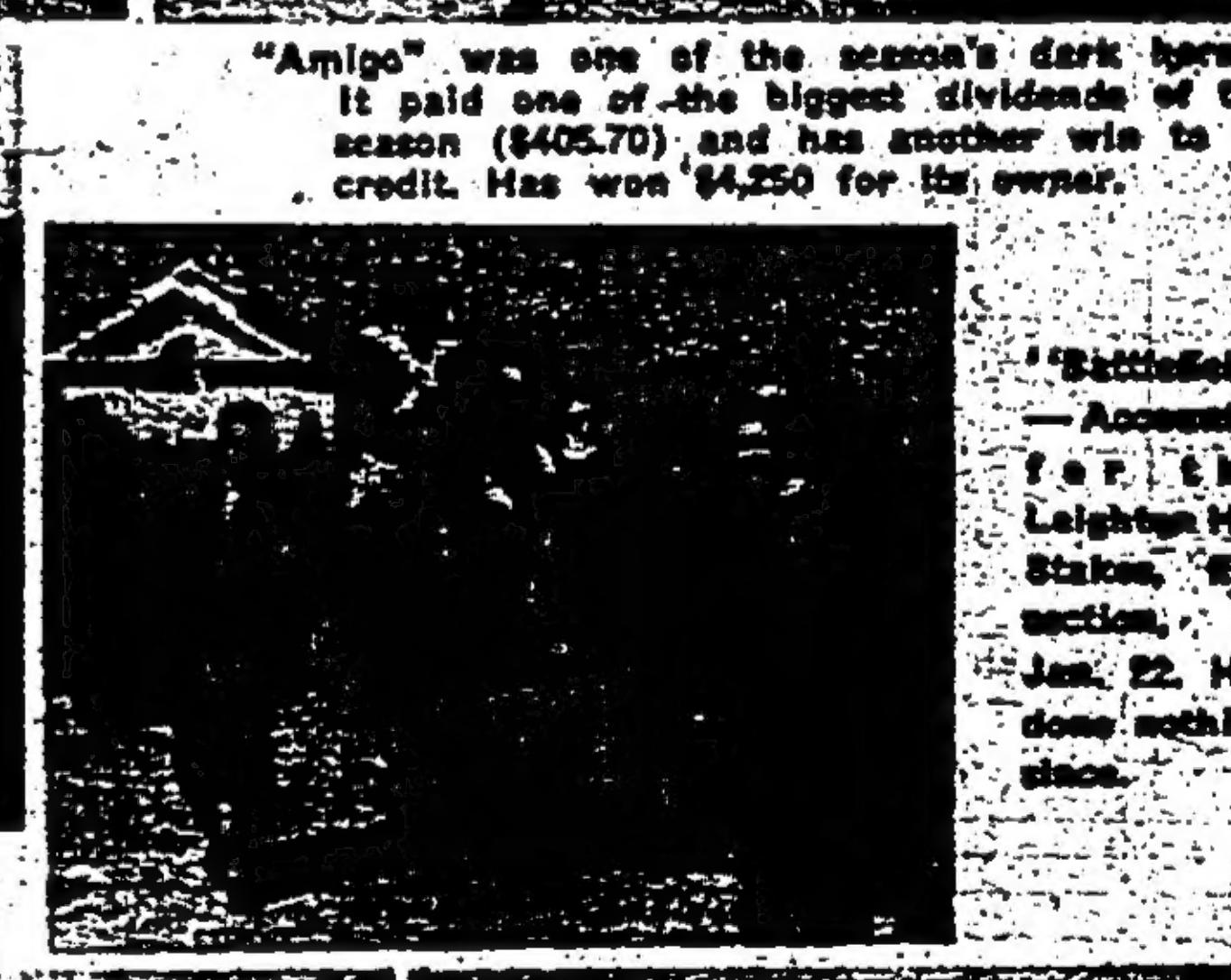


"Ataman"—Failed to live up to early promise, but won three races, including The Derby and Pearce Memorial Cup. Brought its owner \$8,940 in stake money.

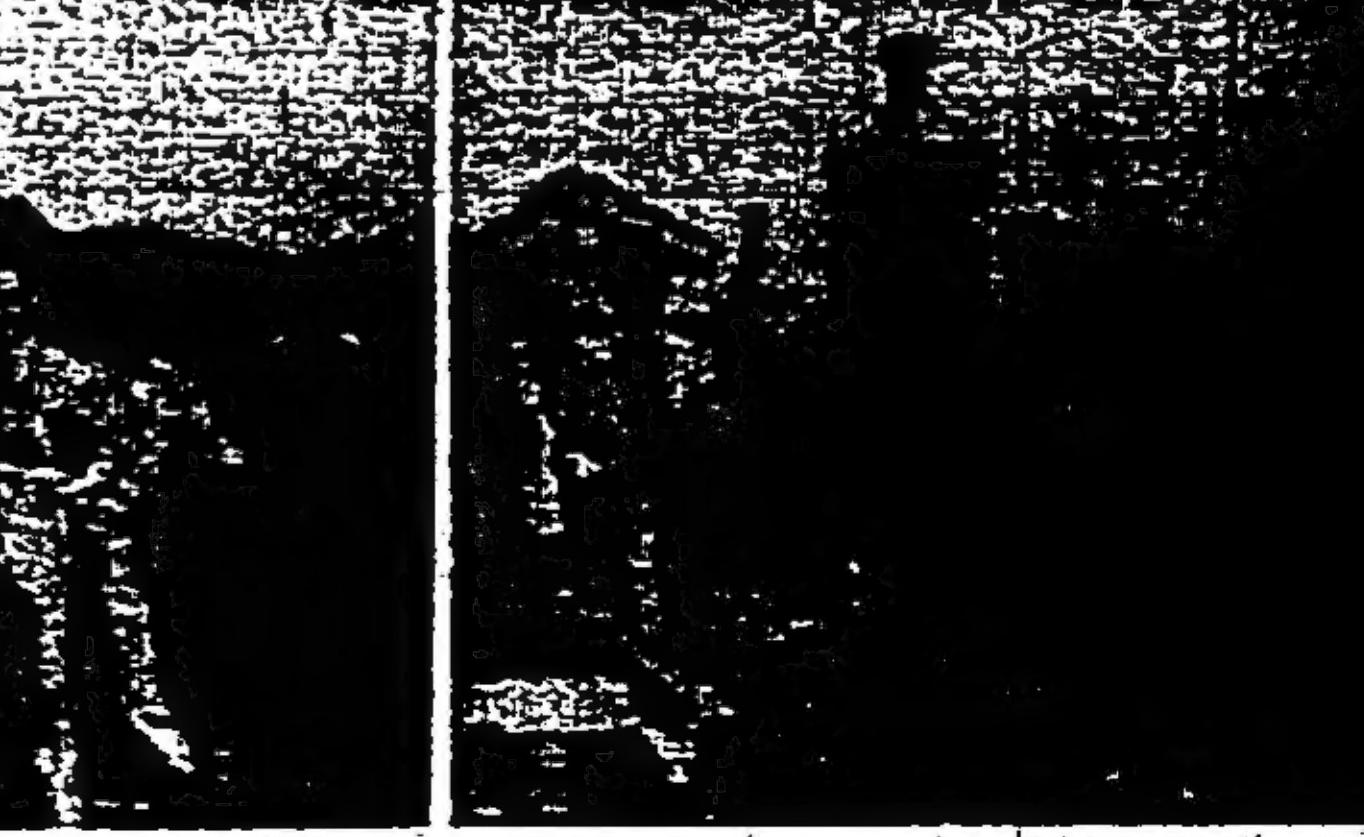
"Ping How"—Winner of the Hung Hom Stakes on the second day of the Easter Meeting.



"Windermere"—Winner of the Also Ran Stakes at the Annual Race Meeting.



"Amigo"—Was one of the season's dark horses. It paid one of the biggest dividends of the season (\$405.70) and has another win to its credit. Has won \$4,250 for its owner.



"Battleground"—Accounted for the Leighton Hill Stakes, first section, on Jan. 22. Has done nothing since.

THE LEADING JOCKEYS

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C. L. Gregory	8	3	6
E. A. Brodie	8	3	6
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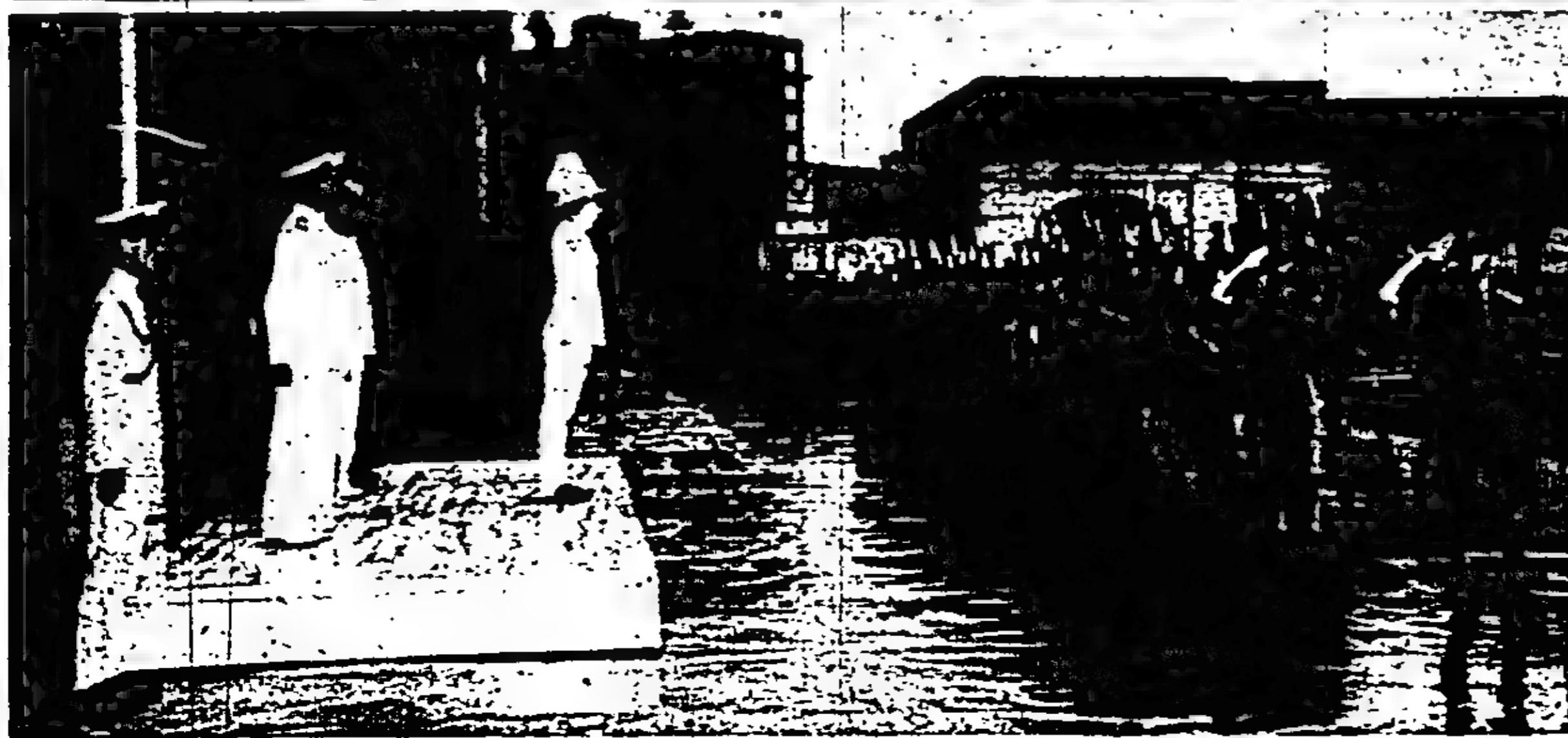
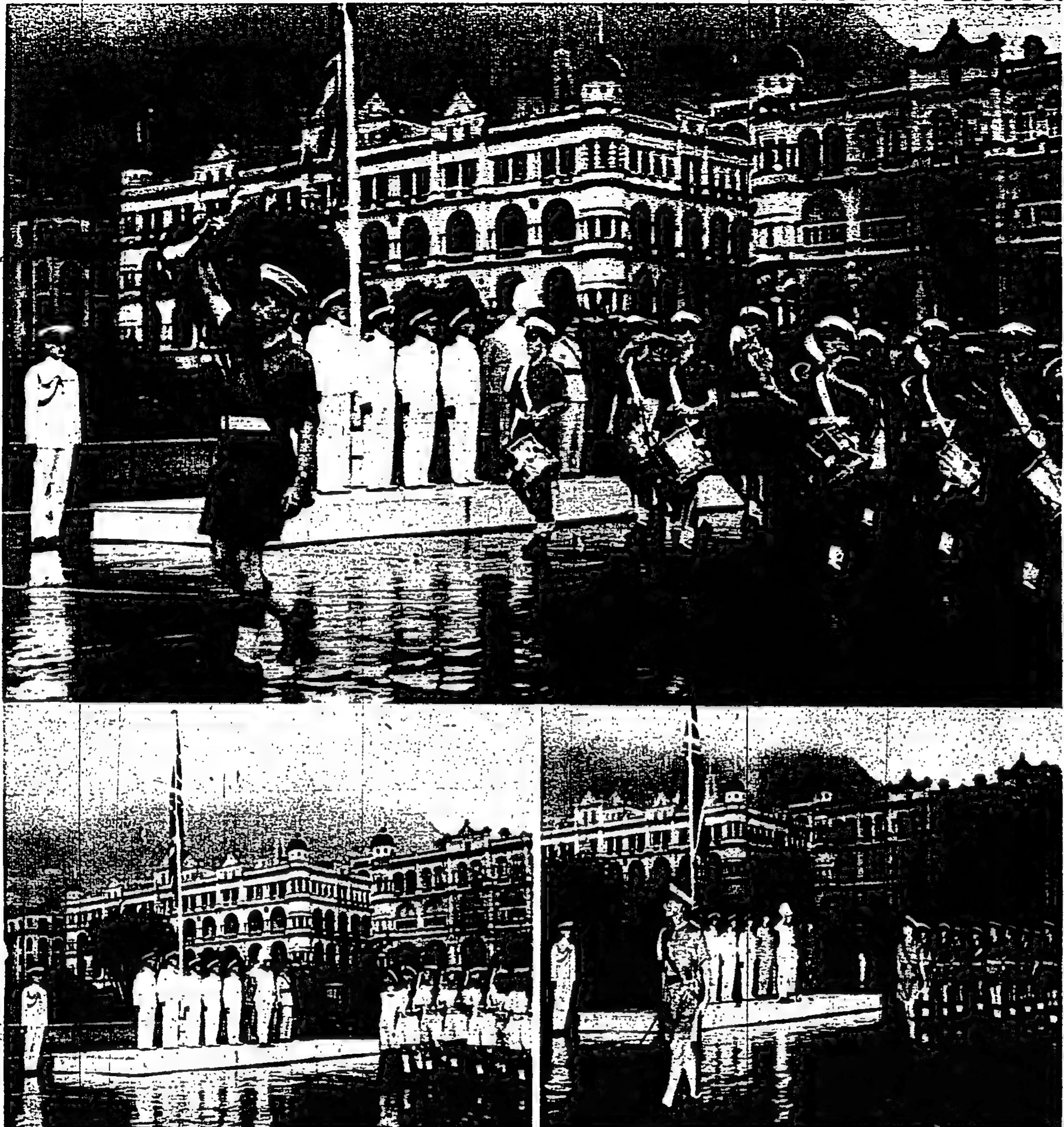
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THE KING'S BIRTHDAY PARADE IN HONG KONG



THE COLOURFUL CEREMONIAL PARADE to mark the King's Birthday celebrations in Hong Kong was originally to have been held at the Happy Valley Racecourse on June 10, but was postponed because of bad weather. Last Thursday's city march by representatives of the Combined Services and the Police fared no better.

A continuous heavy downpour soaked the marchers from their starting point at Stubbs Road to the Cenotaph, where the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, took the salute. Even the Union Jack on the flagstaff drooped (see pictures).

On the Saluting Base with other heads of the services and police was the new G.O.C. Major General F.R.G. Matthews, D.S.O., taking part in his first official ceremony since his arrival.

O.B.E. AWARD: Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Lt. Col. H. Owen Hughes and Mr. J.J. Ferguson at the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps cocktail party on June 10. Lt. Col. Owen Hughes was awarded an O.B.E. in the King's Birthday Honours. (Mee Cheung)



OVER PAGE
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H.K.V.D.C.
cocktail party
in the snow at
Garden Road.
Here is one
group. (Mee
Cheung)



O.S. — PANAMANIAN will anchor in Clover Cove for the duration of the typhoon season. Here she is being towed by the salvage tug "Caroline Moller" and the "Minnie Moller" from Stonecutter's Island. (Far East Air Photo)



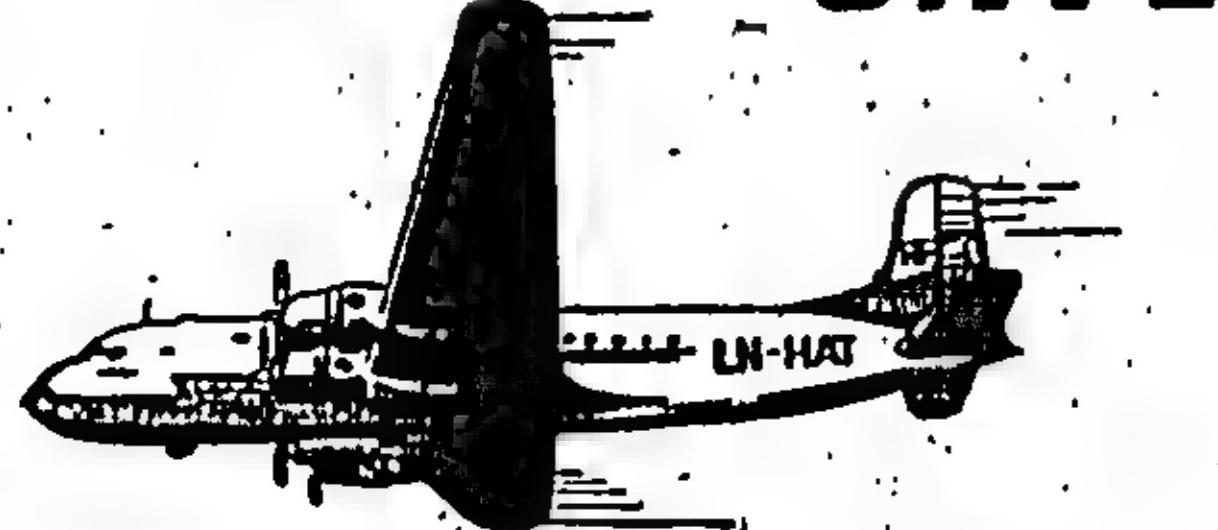
HAPPY GROUP AT THE H.K.V.D.C. cocktail party. Another member of the Volunteers, Captain A.M. Rodriguez, was honoured in the Birthday List. He received an M.B.E. (Military). (Mee Cheung)



A NEW BEAUTY SALON on the Mezzanine Floor of the Gloucester Arcade was opened last week. "Vivienne's Salon de Beaute" has modern equipment specially brought from England, and is completely air-conditioned. Here are the three who will operate it: 1. to r. Mrs. Dekker, Miss Vivienne Churn and Mrs. Goodyear. (Ming Yuen).

MISS AUSTRALIA. Brunette Judy Gainford, a model T. and sports girl on arrival at Tilbury on a European tour, part of her prize. She was chosen for beauty, natural charm, poise, intelligence and education.

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A MIRACLE TRANSFORMATION

German Currency Reform Kills Black Market

Russians Agree To Four Power Currency Talks

Berlin, June 21.
General Sir Brian Robertson, the British Military Governor, told Marshal Vassily Sokolovsky,

the Russian Commander-in-Chief, that he was willing to discuss a four-power currency for Berlin, either in person or through meetings of his staff.

General Robertson, in a letter to the Russian commander-in-chief, also categorically rejected the Russian claim that Berlin formed a part of the Soviet occupation zone.

The German Economic Commission of the Soviet Zone held a special meeting behind closed doors tonight and adopted a draft currency reform decree for the Soviet zone, the Russian-licensed German news agency, ADN, reported.

After the session, the Chairman of the Commission, Herr Heinrich Rau, submitted the draft to Marshal Sokolovsky for his approval. The American-licensed German news agency, DENA, reported that the holding of an urgent last-minute meeting between Soviet officials and the German Economic Commission was for the purpose of issuing stamped notes, which may be announced tonight.

Russia Accepts

The German News Agency later announced Russia's acceptance of a four-power currency conference, a few hours after the German Economic Conference for the Soviet zone had placed a currency reform proposal before Marshal Sokolovsky. Terms of the proposal are designed to go into effect soon in Berlin and the Russian zone.

The Russians today notified the three Western powers that, owing to pressure of work, they might not be able to attend an important meeting of Berlin Deputy Commandants fixed for next Wednesday. They asked for an alternative date later in the week.

Soviet Attitude

M. Maletin, Chief of the Finance Division of the Soviet-Military Administration, said today the Soviet authorities expect the Western Allies to introduce the West Zone "Deutsche mark" into their sectors of the capital as soon as the Russians announce their monetary reform.

This would be "bound to result in failure," he declared, and would meet with "determined counter-measures" since there could be no other currency for Berlin than that circulating in the Soviet zone. (Reuter's diplomatic correspondent in London said today there was some ground for believing the Western powers would allow their sectors of Berlin to use the new East German currency based on the Soviet reforms if these approximated to those introduced in the West on Sunday. Many officials expected this to happen.)

The references to reform in M. Maletin's statement and to "final regulations" in the Soviet news agency report on today's Commission meeting are the first from official Soviet sources confirming that currency moves are on the way.

Up to now, Soviet statements have referred only to "protective measures" arising out of the reforms in the West.

First Stop

The latest reports here confirm that the first step in an East Zone money reform will be to attach stamps to "old Reichsmark" to prevent the smuggling of currency "now worthless in half the country."

Meanwhile, all savings banks in Berlin today announced they would not accept any more deposits. For the past few days, queues had formed outside the banks where thousands of Berliners opened new accounts.

As part of their anti-smuggling drive, Soviet troops in Berlin stopped a train carrying supplies for American occupation troops today for the second time in 24 hours, the German news service, DENA, reported.

Soviet guards last night refused to let the train through when the Americans prevented them from checking the contents. The train was returned to Helmstedt, in the British Zone.

This morning it came back to Marlenborn and was again stopped by the Russians.

A British spokesman in Berlin said cargo carrying planes capable of transporting 20,000 pounds of freight daily would shortly be put into service, more than double the average up to now.

Buyers' Market

The first day of the new Deutsche mark in Western Germany appeared to have brought with it a buyers' market, at least for the moment.

In Frankfurt, leather shops displayed gaping crowds show windows crowded with handbags, manicure sets, and travelling cases.

SAFETY FIRST

Ashby-de-la-Zouche, June 21.

Frank Johnson today fell into an 11-foot-deep vat containing 30 tons of boiling liquid soap, but survived with severe burns.

Johnson is a safety inspector at the soap plant.—United Press.

ed trying to slip over the Solvay-British "frontier" near Helmstedt, the British border town on the main road to Berlin. The agency has reported the arrest of over 3,800 smugglers in the 48 hours since the Russians clamped down a strict control on eastward traffic over the border in answer to the Western announcement of the currency change-over.—Reuter.

German freight trains bound for Berlin were running again tonight after being delayed at the Russian checkpoint at Marienborn since early morning, according to American transport authorities.

They explained that the tie-up was due to the Russian insistence that only one train would be handled at Marienborn at a time.

Heavy Patrols

Heavily reinforced Russian patrols and German police were today guarding the Anglo-Soviet border to stop an increasing flow of smugglers filtering eastwards with loads of devalued Western Zone currency.

According to ADN, the Soviet-licensed news agency, over 800 "modern smugglers" were arrested.

BRITAIN SLASHES HER TRADE DEFICIT

London, June 21.

Britain's adverse trade balance dropped in May to £40,400,000—£12,800,000 less than in April—according to figures issued today by the Board of Trade.

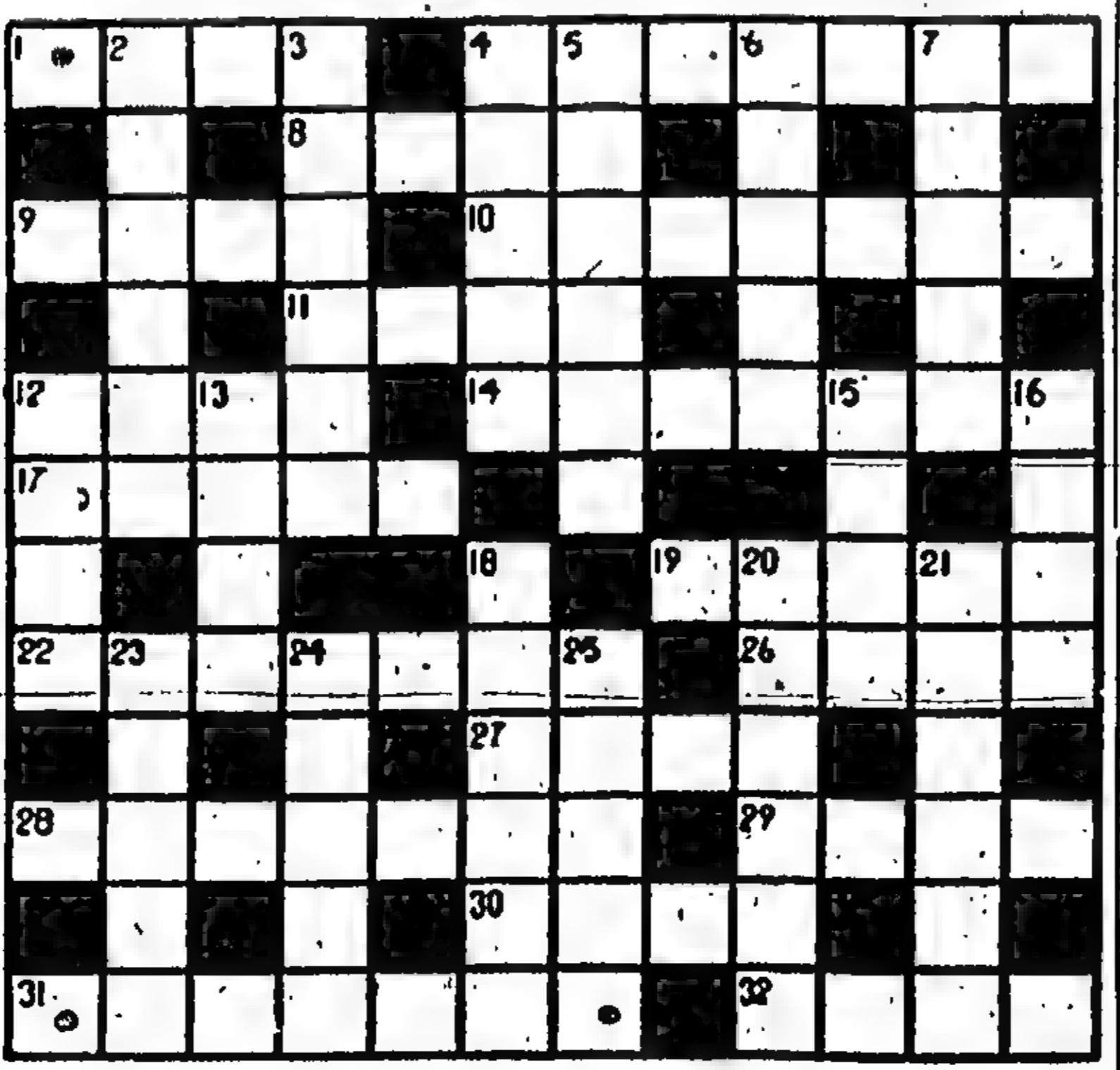
This balance represented the excess of imports over the total of exports and re-exports. The

value of British exports continued to climb, reaching £129,900,000 for the month—£3,600,000 higher than in April and £12,100,000 above the average for the first quarter of the year.

Imports, however, stayed at a high level, too. The total for May, £176,000,000, was lower than the April record of £184,900,000 but was only £2,200,000 less than the value recorded in March.

The May adverse balance—excess of imports over exports—was £2,100,000 lower than the monthly average in the first five months of this year and £8,000,000 lower than the monthly average for 1947.—Reuter.

A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Clues Across

- 1 Domestic. 22 Bog. 28 Uncommon.
- 4 Hoarded. 20 Voice. 27 Tear.
- 6 Voice. 28 Enthusiastic.
- 9 Break off. 29 Reception.
- 11 Threatening. 29 Border.
- 12 Rescue. 30 Land.
- 14 Wrote down. 31 Bunch.
- 17 Score. 32 Flavour.
- 19 Staff.

Yesterday's Crossword

- Across:—1 Digest, 5 Regal, 8 Erred, 9 Scanty, 10 Vivid, 11 Tacit, 12 Side, 13 Sober, 14 Cohes, 16 Adonis, 20 Renew, 22 Diva, 23 Sends, 24 Flair;
- Shared:—2 Disaster, 4 Guardian, 5 Sect, 6 Treason, 7 Revives, 8 Editor, 9 Agile, 14 Beginner, 15 Remanded, 16 Covered, 17 Hind, 19 Design, 21 Eclat, 24 Sash.

New Jersey Arsenal Explosion

Kenilworth, New Jersey, June 21.

An earth-shaking explosion in the big Hercules Powder Company's dynamite plant killed three men today, the Company announced.

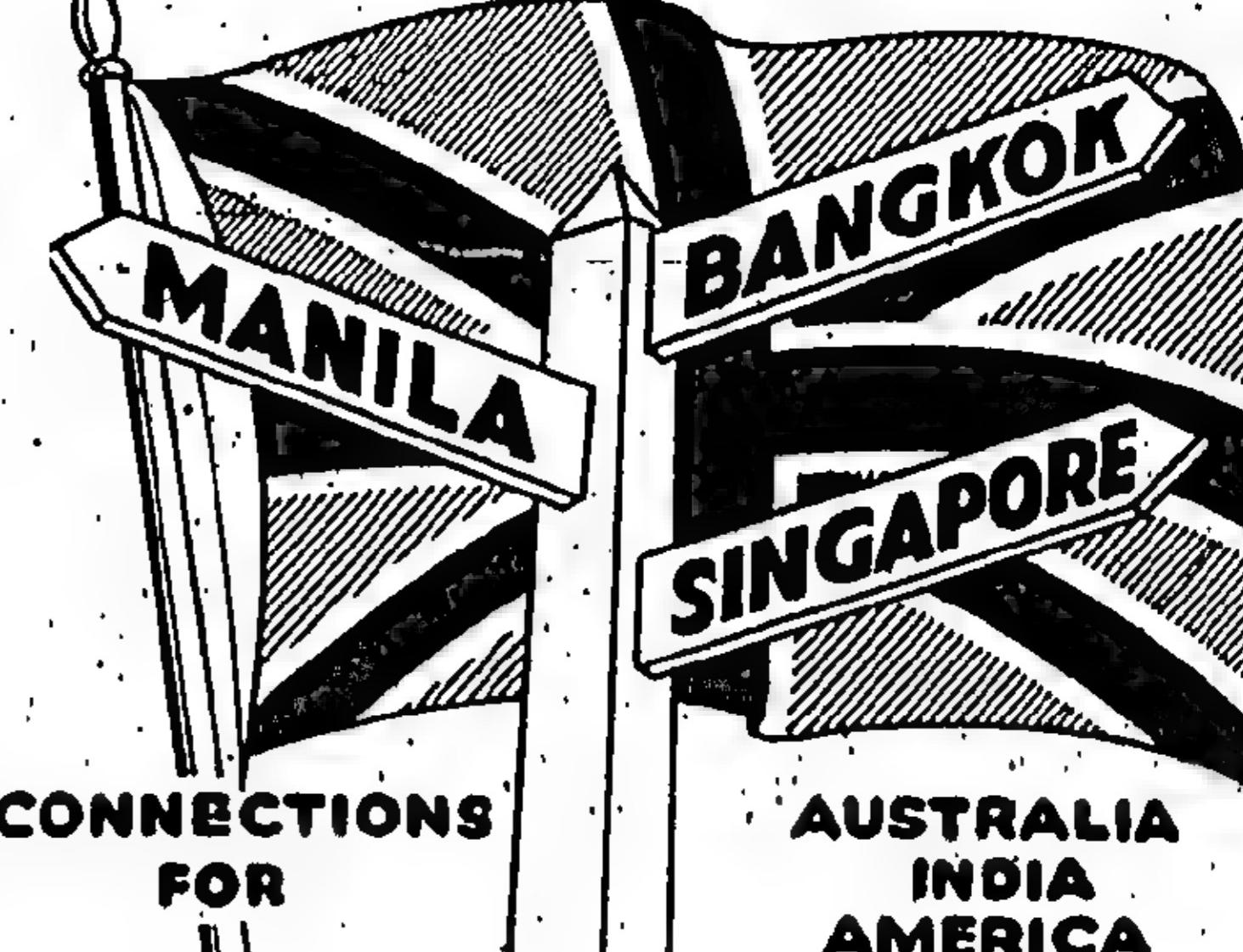
Earlier Morris county hospitals said they had been notified by the Hercules Powder plant to send all available ambulances and doctors.

The blast was felt over a 50-mile radius.

Yellowish red smoke billowed high in the sky over the Hercules plant area.

Soot and burnt paper fluttered down near Dover, 10 miles away. In September 1940, the Hercules Powder Company plant was the scene of a blast that killed 52 persons.—Associated Press.

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Woman Today

THE BATTLE BETWEEN WEIGHT AND ELEGANCE

By VICTORIA CHAPPELLE

International fashion writer and former fashion editor of the London "Daily Mail."

At stated periods dress designers are seized with the irresistible desire to reconstruct the clothes of bygone generations. So crinolines return, or bustled dresses are presented with a flourish of trumpets. The threat of this is now upon us, although in the search for something new, crinolines, at least, are being ignored—for the simple reason that designers of trains and other moving vehicles cannot fit these monstrosities into their scheme of things.

In the normal course of things, women enjoy these changes. They appeal to the feminine yearning for novelty which has helped to build great industries and is primarily responsible for many a successful man's career. But changes of this kind must come slowly, logically indeed, if women are to accept them, and it was the sudden appearance of the longer skirt which has nearly been responsible for killing it.

Nevertheless, if the average woman could have a 20-inch waist without giving herself chronic dyspepsia, there is no doubt she would not worry about the size of her hips, and designers are doing their best to give her the illusion of a small waist with clever seaming and cutting.

Flares are another trial to the

woman who is opt-to-put-on weight. They show up the lack of my waist-line so badly; on the other hand, pleats, cleverly managed, can give an impression of skirt width without accenting unpleasant facts.

There is no doubt, of course, that, generally speaking, fashions this season are for the young or for the woman who has won the battle between weight and elegance. This is illogical because the older woman is usually the owner of the deeper purse, a fact which pre-supposes that fashions will presently be kinder to her.

In the meantime, the new London styles are a triumphant proof that the client always prefers elegance to exaggeration.

Slick Sleight Of Hand

There's the greatest satisfaction and fun to be found in "convertibles" and fashion this season turns many neat trick with its ingenious transformations. Blouses, skirts, and jackets serve as the chief pivots around which circle these sleight-of-hand changes, but they by no means constitute the whole show.

Your daytime dress becomes a party dress by the addition of a few frilly petticoats. A drawstring bandit snaps a daytime blouse into an off-shoulder dinner bodice.

A snappy little taffeta shoulder cape whips off and winds round the waist as an impish peplum. Cummerbunds twist into turbans, aprons move up and become shoulder capes—or shoulder capes become aprons.

Hats zip apart and lead double lives, while bonnets lose their crowns and dwindle into bows.

Surely the prospect of practising such gay deceptions, of enjoying so many lively possibilities from ordinary clothes, not only means extra money in your pocket, but imagination on the wing.

Shirtwaists and the blouses certainly come into their own. Many designers are careful never to leave the choice of a blouse to chance, as perhaps we may be tempted to do. You find blouses designed all of a piece with a skirt.

Sometimes these have print tops which match the linings of jackets, or they may be a light shade of taffeta with a taffeta skirt and jacket of a darker shade. Polka dots are seen—in many of these blouses top skirts, too.

The glamorous shirtwaist top is seen in many variations. Sheer nylon nets, tucked and shirred and sometimes inset with lace, show the gleam of exquisitely dainty camisoles beneath. Shell tucking, metallic stitching, and angling give chiffon blouses a pleasing distinctness.

Satin blouses are ever-recurring favourites. These are seen with trapunto designs done in metallic or other contrasting stitching, and in fine scallops or horizontal bias folds. Overblouses with their slim hiplines are less in evidence, though they too have their admirers. Usually these are shown with boat necks and dolman sleeves.

Skirts and jackets have a good time with themselves. I don't mean in just suits. Though using various colour and fabric combinations, they achieve a heat difference between the usual run of suits and dresses. You may have, for example, a fitted basque jacket buttoned from its little, sharp, pointed waist, to its sharp-pointed waist, worn with a full-flaring ballerina.

Or choose a brief bolero jacket with long sleeves and wear it with a slim-fitted dark skirt that has a deep ruffle just below the knee. The blouse beneath the bolero may be of a contrasting shade for a touch of excitement.

Then there is the skirt with a four or five-inch bias fold set up six inches from its bottom edge. It might have a matching jacket, long-sleeved and trim, fitted at the waist and just curving out slightly over the hips, and frogged up the front.

Switch this skirt and wear it with a yoked bellhop-jacket—all curves and bright buttons.

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LONDON STRIKE EXTENDS
Cold Storage Plants Paralysed By Walk-Out**Angry Discussion
In Parliament**London, June 21.
The paralysing week-old London dock strike spread to cold storage plants today, imperilling Londoners' 20 cents a week meat ration. Fifteen hundred workers walked out at 11 cold storage plants in the London area.

Angry Opposition members in the House of Commons called upon the Government "to do something."

Mr. Ness Edwards, Parliamentary Secretary of the Ministry of Food conceded in the House of Commons today that the strike is already seriously hampering Britain's export programme and it continued would endanger the maintenance of essential food supplies.

He said that 10,000 workers out of a total labour force of 27,000 are now idle along the 63 miles of London's dockland.

But he asked for Government not to be pressed for action or a further statement now because it might prejudice Union officials' supreme attempt at a mass meeting tomorrow to get the men to go back to work.

Could Not Promise

Badgered by Mr. Anthony Eden, and other Opposition members, Mr. Edwards said that he could not promise the delay might not mean that some food cargoes would be spoiled.

He said: "We cannot tell what the condition of the food is until the hatches are opened. We anticipate things will be all right until tomorrow. That is the best advice we have."

Although it was admitted that a powerful section of the United States administration in Japan would like to see Japanese migration permitted southwards, little official credence was given to the likelihood of any formal United States moves in this direction.

The Americans have been informed of Australia's inflexibility on this point and it is believed that the United States administration would hesitate to offend Australia so deeply as even to suggest it.—Reuter.

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Sir Thomas Moore, Conservative, asked the Minister of State, Mr. Hector McNeil: "Are we to understand that Albania is to get away with this savage act without punishment? Is this the measure of our national degradation?"

McNeil recalled that he had reported to the House of Commons on April 7 that the question of which country was responsible for the mines in the channel was pending before the International Court of Justice at the Hague.

"The Albanian Government is following the procedure laid down by the court, to which from the beginning we had been anxious the dispute should be submitted," he added.—Associated Press.

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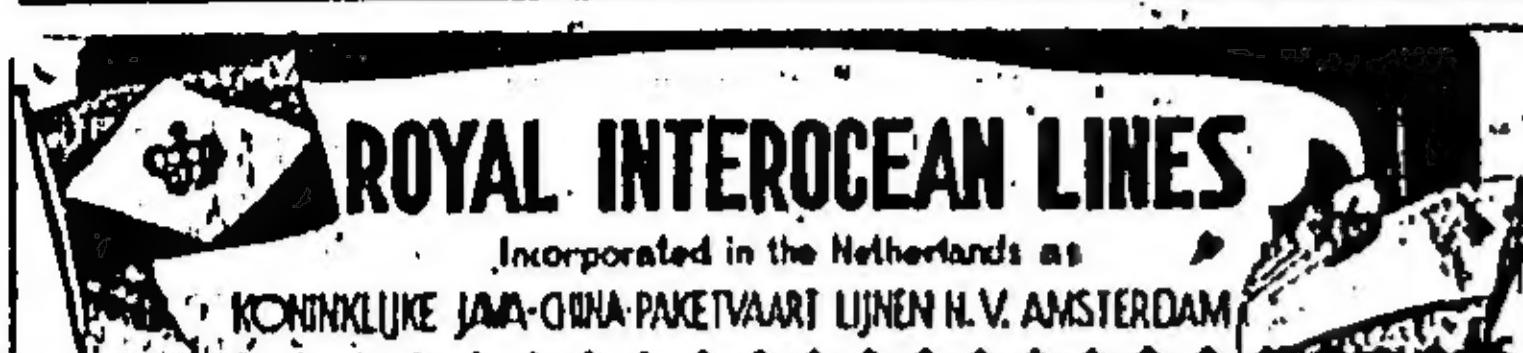
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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

NANKING'S BLUNDERS, APATHY AND INCOMPETENCE UNDER S'hai FIRE

Shanghai, June 22, Nanking officials came under heavy fire for their "blunders, incompetence and apathy" from the City Council Chairman, Mr. Pan Kung-chuan, at the opening meeting of the Sixth Plenary Session of the Shanghai City Council yesterday.

Mr. Pan, in his outspoken speech, warned that the present economic crisis would destroy both national labour and capital if the National Government continued ignoring public opinion and switching from one "haphazard" plan to another.

The Chairman said that politically China is supposed to have entered the stage of democracy, but China's constitutional democracy today was suffering from semi-paralysis.

Turning to Shanghai's serious economic situation, Mr. Pan said that speculators and manipulators are blamed for price increases, but the truth was that Shanghai is "just a big hole for idle capital" which flows from all parts of China to Hongkong, America and other countries.

Industry's Demand

Four urgently needed measures for the prevention of the total collapse of Shanghai's industry were contained in an appeal addressed to Nanking authorities by the Shanghai Native Goods Manufacturers Association, it was learned today.

The measures were: 1—Resumption of industrial loans by the Government banks; 2—Opening of the exchange market for exporters; 3—Greater facilities for the importation of raw materials needed for production; and, 4—Greater supply of electric power for factories.

The petition contended that all these measures were reasonable and within the power of the authorities to be carried out immediately.—Reuters.

The stock market dropped on Monday for the sharpest overall decline in more than a month.

Losses of one to more than two points were numerous and only

a few stocks—notably oil—finished with gains. Losers included Pepicola and Western Air Lines, Central Texas Company, Pacific Western, Paramount Pictures.

Other gainers—besides Richfield oil, which ran counter to the trend in jumping 9½ points yesterday, opening at \$323.75 and closing at \$324.37½ a ton—

included Marcal Oil, Sinclair Oil, Sunray Oil. The market steadied in the final trading. Transfers totalled 1,750,000 shares.

The price decline was orderly, largely because of lack of buying interest at prevailing price levels, rather than aggressive selling. Many traders are awaiting for three or four point decline in individual stocks before they get back in the market on the buying side.

Dollars totalled 4,970—taels, of which 2,470 were official and 2,500 unofficial.

Plastics opened at \$11.35 and closed at \$11.32½ a 100.

Chinese National Currency

opened at 28 cents for futures

and 32½ cents for spot (for C.N.S. \$10,000) and remained unchanged throughout the day.

Ticals were easier at \$26.00 a 100.

NEI Guilders spurted to \$40.80 a 100, a jump of \$3.50 on the previous day.

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BOUGAINVILLE (Bank Line) from Pacific Coast .. All

GERTRUDE MAERSK (Johsen) from New York .. All

HIN RANG (Jardine) from Sandakan, Continent via Straits .. All

YOCHEW (U.S.L.) from Singapore via Bangkok .. All

CATHERINE PACIFIC ex-Shanghai .. All

HUK AIRWAYS ex-Shanghai 3 p.m. Canton .. 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35 p.m., 5.55 p.m.

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HUK AIRWAYS ex-Canton 4 p.m. Canton .. 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35 p.m.

HUK AIRWAYS ex-Singapore 4 p.m. Canton .. 10.55 a.m., 1.15 p.m., 3.35 p.m.

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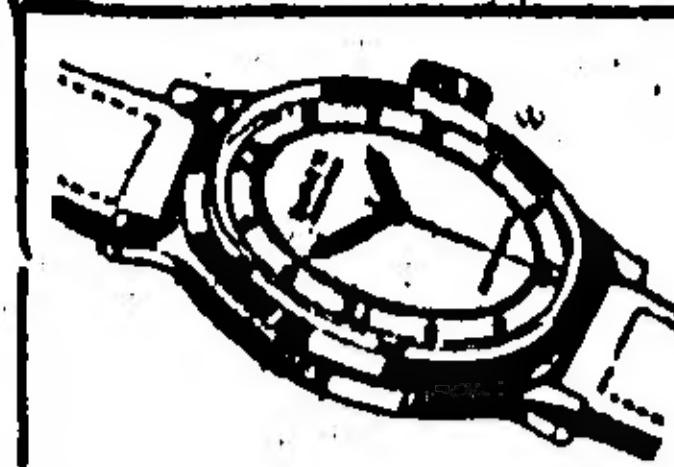
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CHINA MAIL

HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1948.

YORKSHIRE MATCH AGAINST AUSTRALIA ENDS IN A DRAW

Sheffield, June 22.
The Yorkshire-Australia cricket game here ended in a draw today.

Australia declared at 285 for five and Yorkshire were two down for 85 at close of play.

MONDAY'S PLAY

Sheffield, June 21. The Australians, at the end of today's play, were in a strong position in their match against Yorkshire. They dismissed Yorkshire by tea time for 206 runs and when stumps were drawn had put on 132 runs for the loss of one wicket. Bradman, who is 66 not out, seems set for another century.

After a shower had held up the resumption of play after lunch for ten minutes, a wicket fell to the second ball. Watson edging a catch to the wicket-keeper. This brought in Coxon and about 20,000 people gave a fine welcome to the surprise England Test choice.

INTER-CLUB SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Highlights of the forthcoming V.R.C.-Eastern Athletic Club swimming gala, next Saturday, will be the inter-club 220 yards free-style event, with F. Monteiro holding the V.R.C. colours against the 15-year-old cross-harbour champion, Yeung Kin Man.

For his 220 effort in the last championships, when he gained a close place to the reigning mid-distance long-distance champions—Lau Tai Ping, Chan Chun Nam, and Yau Sui Kwan—Monteiro is favoured to win. Young Yeung is unfitted in this event. However, he has had good opportunity to develop further his unusual talent, having been in Java during the winter months.

For reason that both swimmers are young, up and coming, the 220 free event will doubtless prove to be the evening's big thrill. The other two starters are J. Yvanovich (V.R.C.) and Yang Man Kit (Eastern).

Lytte Rose of whom so much had been heard so early in the competitive season, will be treating spectators to two exhibition swims—the 100 yards back-stroke and the 100 yards breast. The Eastern Athletic water-polo team, reputed in the National Athletic Meet in Shanghai last month, is meeting a V.R.C. side in a friendly encounter to close the evening's programme.

Programme

Below is the list of events for the Saturday gala; elimination heats, where necessary, will be held today.

1. Men's Inter-Club 50 yds. freestyle. Eastern: Wong Chee Hung, Cheung Yat (Reserve); and Wong Chee Hung (free) Reserve. Kwok Chan Hung.

V.R.C.: G. Saunders, Eric Guest. 2. Women's 50 yds. freestyle. 3. 100 yards Back-stroke exhibition by Mrs. Lytte Rose.

4. Men's Inter-Club 220 free-style. Eastern: Yeung Kin Man, Yau Sui Kwan.

5. Members' 50 yds. free-style. 6. Members' 100 yards free-style. 7. Girls' 25 yds. free-style "beginners".

8. Men's Inter-Club 3 x 50 yds. Medley Relay.

Eastern: Cheung Wal Lam (Back), Cheung Yat (Reserve) and Wong Chee Hung (free) Reserve. Kwok Chan Hung.

V.R.C.: A.V. Lopez (Back), G. Ross-Purcell (Reserve), Saunders.

9. Diving exhibition by Ed. Hora, G. Saunders, Ku Ku Liu and Wong Kit Woon.

10. Members' 50 yds. Free-style.

11. Men's Inter-Club 100 yds. Back-stroke.

Eastern: Cheung Wal Lam, Mak Wal Hung, Cheuk Yan, Cheung Yat (Reserve).

12. Members' Novelty Race.

13. Men's Inter-Club 4 x 50 free-style relay.

Eastern: Wong Chee Hung, Cheung Wal Lam, Cheuk Yan, and Kwok Chan Hung (Reserve). Cheung Kit Man.

14. Members' Novelty Race.

15. Men's Inter-Club 50 yds. Free-style.

COMBINED SERVICES BEAT HK

Singapore, June 22.

Combined Services today defeated the Hong Kong inter-club cricket team by 10 wickets.

Hong Kong batted stubbornly in the second innings against excellent bowling by Street and Kenyon.

Hong Kong were all out for 168 in the second innings. Owen-Hughes, the skipper, was top scorer with 28. Other double figures were returned by Panton 23, Zimmern 22 not out, J. P. M. Hope 20, and Murray-Brown 20.

Street took five wickets for 63 and Kenyon 4 for 34.

Brown was missed at 17 and again at 20, and Bradman almost gave two slip catches off Wardle, but gradually the pitch eased and runs came with more certainty, but even slower than before.

The crowd barracked the two batsmen for their extreme caution, but this did not perturb them. Their unbroken stand produced 115, and the Australians finished 175 runs on with nine wickets in hand.

The scoreboard at the end of the second day's play read:

Australians: First Innings: 240.

Second Innings: 6 Brown b. Smiles 6

Bradman not out 66

Extras 4

for one wicket 132

Yorkshire: First Innings: 6 Button c. Brown b. Toshack 39

Watson c. b. Saggers b. Johnson 20

Yurdell b. Toshack 10

Lester stumped Saggers b. Toshack 31

Coxon c. McCool b. Johnson 21

Aspinall b. Toshack 11

Smiles c. b. Saggers b. Toshack 9

Wardle c. McCool b. Toshack 15

Brennan c. Hing b. Johnston 0

Robinson not out 1

Extras 15

for one wicket 206

Bowling: O M R W

Miller 6 4 4 0

Johnston 41.1 10 101 3

Toshack 40 12 81 7

Humenec 3 2 5 0

—Reuter, event.—Associated Press.

INTER-UNIVERSITY ATHLETICS

Copenhagen, June 21.

Cambridge University tonight defeated the University of Copenhagen by 49 points against 58 in the first track and field competition ever held between the two universities.

Ivar Vind, the Danish captain of the Cambridge team, had an off day, finishing second in the high jump and throwing the discuss only 30.97 metres which, however, was enough to win the

main attraction of next week-end's racing will be the Ladies' Race on Saturday afternoon at 3.10. This will be the first Ladies' Race in the summer series, of which there will be approximately 4 races on the last Saturday of each month.

Dinghies for the Ladies' Race will be drawn for at the Club at 2.30 p.m. on Saturday, and it is hoped that there will be a big entrance.

For the last series over 22 ladies raced, but only about 8 or 9 did the necessary number of races to qualify for the series.

Now is the time for the many

lady helmsmen of the Yacht Club

to make a point of reserving the

last Saturday in each month for

the Ladies' Dinghy Race.

The summer Star and Dinghy

series races are beginning to get

under way, and it has been noted

that with the many new mem-

bers the number of would-be en-

trants for Dinghy races for Thurs-

day nights and Sunday afternoons

is becoming greater than the

number of Dinghies available.

The remedy for this is for

more of the experienced helms-

men and helmswomen to enter

for the Star series. A Star race

is held every Thursday night

and Saturday afternoon and

every other Sunday. Next Sun-

day is not a race day for Stars,

but Stars are available on that

day for cruising.

Another remedy for the grow-

ing shortage of sailing boats is,

of course, to build new ones and

after nearly a year of very

thorough research into the types

of sailing craft that can best be

adopted as a general one-design

class for the Club, the type de-

cided upon is the 14-ft. Long-Red-

wing Dinghy designed by Duffe-

fox.

The National Cyclists Union Olympic selectors have been set a difficult problem by the recent form of the world's sprint champion, Reg Harris of Manchester.

Earlier, it was stated that the selectors would adhere to the policy of one man-one event for the four Olympic track cycling events, but now Harris has shown that he must be considered for no fewer than three of them.

Harris showed his true form last week by defeating Alan

Bannister also of Manchester, to whom he lost his national sprint championship early this month, and remains an almost certain choice for the Olympic sprint.

Last weekend, the world champion paraded up with Ban-

nister to win the national tandem championship, and now the

Manchester riders rival the Lon-

doners, L. Cox and J. Dennis, for the Olympic tandem selection.

In addition to these good per-

formances, Harris' beating of

Bill Bailey's half-mile record

shows that when he takes

to try the 1,000-metres distance,

THE CATCH OF THE DAY



DON BRADMAN turns a ball which was moving away to leg and it travels into the waiting hands of Len Hutton, dismissing the Australian captain for 138 during Test play on June 12. Bowler Alec Bedser continues his run down the pitch.—AP Photo.

Dismal Opening For Wimbledon Championships

Wimbledon, June 21. Contrary to the usual gay spectacle, the Centre Court, protected by tarpaulins against the rain and barely a quarter of its seating capacity taken by mackintoshed and over-coated spectators, presented a sombre scene today for the opening of the 62nd Wimbledon Lawn Tennis championships.

It was equally dismal on the outside courts. A handful of people sat in the rain with umbrellas and coat collars turned up.

Today's programme was delayed entirely to 94 matches in the first round of the men's singles. There were two last-minute changes. A. Stolpa, the Hungarian Davis Cup player, was unable to obtain a visa to leave his country, and, following him, B. Petru, took his place against A. Alman, of Pakistan, who was injured recently, also with Petru, and T. Miller, who gained his place through the qualifying competition, replaced him against C. Sison, of Italy.

F. Parker (USA) beat Denis Coomer (New Zealand) 6-2, 6-0, 6-2, 6-0, 6-3.

J. Drolny (Czechoslovakia) beat W.C. Choy (China) 6-1, 6-3, 6-1, 6-2, 6-0, 6-3.

Eric Sturges (South Africa) beat Van Mergeren (Holland) 6-2, 6-0, 6-3.

Budgie Patty (USA) beat T. Ulrich (Denmark) 6-4, 6-7, 6-5, 6-4, Mullay (USA) beat A. Russell (Argentina) 6-2, 6-4, 6-3, 6-2, Bolten (Belgium) beat J. Prichard (Belgium) 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3.

C.W. Flit (Britain) beat J. Muller (South Africa) 6-1, 6-7, 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

F. Sedgman (Australia) beat N. Suhdney (India) 6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

P. Washer (Belgium) beat H. Khoker (Pakistan) 6-0, 6-0, 6-2.

L. Blakel (Holland) beat R. Guise (Britain) 6-0, 7-5, 6-2.

J. Bromwich (Australia) beat Ivan Den 6-2, 6-1, 6-8.

C. Jones (USA) 7-0, 6-2, 6-1, 6-1.

J. Harper (Australia) beat Destremou (France) 6-2, 0-6, 6-3, 6-0.

G. Pulch (Britain) beat V. Drobny (Czechoslovakia) 6-2, 0-6, 6-1, 7-5.

H.C. Hopman (Britain) beat W. Young (USA) 6-2, 6-11, 6-6, 6-2.

J. Asboth (Hungary) beat R. Comery (Britain) 6-3, 6-0, 6-2.

L. Borgelin (Sweden) beat C.J. Hovell (Britain) 6-3, 6-2, 6